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HICKSON TALKS TO CROWDS IN CHURCH AND OUTSIDE AT HIS CLOSING MEETING

FARRIS TO INSIST ON BEER AND WINE PLATFORM PLANK

Candidate Wants Declaration in Favor of Sale of Bever- ages in Manner Foodstuffs Are Retailed.

Frank H. Farris of Rolla, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Governor, at the American Hotel today announced a determination to attempt to force adoption by the Democratic State Convention in Joplin April 22 of a platform plank in favor of an amendment of the Volstead law to permit the sale of beer and light wines.

He also announced that within the next day or two he would send to each of his opponents for the nomination a letter demanding that they state their positions on the prohibition question and on the question of whether Senator Reed should be sent as a delegate at large to the Democratic National Convention.

Farris said that the proposed plank of which he already has prepared a rough draft, would take a positive stand in favor of law enforcement, but would pledge the Democratic party in the State in a strong declaration for State's rights and for a change in the Volstead law. He proposed, he said, to include in the plank a provision which would prevent the reopening of saloons, specifying that elder, beer and light wines should be sold as near as possible as foodstuffs are retailled.

People Dislike Volstead Act.

"My position," Farris said, "is that the Volstead law is one of the leading issues, if not the principal issue, before the people today, and that the party should take a positive stand on it."

"I believe in law enforcement, and, of course, the law, whatever it is, must be enforced, but I do not believe that the people are in favor of the law as written in the Volstead act. The party should declare itself, and I will offer to the Resolutions Committee at the State convention a platform declaration on this subject, and will attempt to have it adopted."

"Along this same line, I will within a day or two, send to the other candidates for the Democratic nomination for Governor, a letter asking them where they stand. I have declared myself. They have not."

Opposed Reed as Delegate.

"I shall tell them that there are two questions confronting Democrats in Missouri. One is the prohibition question. The other is what is to be done about Senator Reed."

"I have announced that I favor changing the law to permit the sale of beer and light wines and that I am opposed to sending Reed as a delegate to the national convention. I will merely ask each of the other candidates to make as clear a statement of their views on these matters as I have made."

DE SOTO (MO.) POPULATION IS 4903, 3 PER CENT GAIN

Census Also Gives Venice, Ill., 3895, an Increase of 4.8 Per Cent.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Census figures announced last night included:

De Soto, Mo., 4903, increase 152, or 3.1 per cent.

Venice, Ill., 3895, increase 177, or 4.6 per cent.

Cleora, Ill. (Cook County), 44,995, increase 20,438, or 20.1 per cent.

Whiting, Ind., 10,140, increase 3553, or 35.9 per cent.

Today's announcements included: Harrisburg, Pa., 75,917, increase 11,731, or 15.3 per cent over 1910.

Oshkosh, Wis., 33,162, increase 100, or 0.3 per cent.

Peru, Ind., 12,561, increase 1651, or 13.1 per cent.

Grand Rapids, Wis., 7243, increase 721, or 11.1 per cent.

Maywood, Ill., 12,072, increase 4039, or 56.3 per cent.

TURKS REPORTED IN REVOLT

Outbreaks in All Sections Outside of Constantinople.

By the Associated Press.

PARIS, March 31.—The breaking out of a revolution all over Turkey, except in Constantinople directed toward the allies, is reported by the Reuters-Lloyd of Budapest, according to a dispatch from Basle to the Reuters agency here.

Gathering So Great English- man Announces He Can- not Lay Hands on All— Girls From Blind Home Left Outside.

HEALER TO LEAVE CITY TONIGHT

Frank Wyman, Who Had At- tended Previous Meetings at St. Peter's, Announces Himself Cured of Palsy.

John Moore Hickson, lay healer of the Church of England, held the closing service of the three days' Christian Healing Mission this afternoon, in St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Lindell boulevard and Spring avenue, before a congregation which packed the auditorium after he had addressed throngs at the front and side entrances of the church, telling them that he would be unable to treat any more persons than those who were then inside. Hickson leaves tonight for Chicago, to remain over Easter.

At the same time, announcement was made of a meeting in Christ Church Cathedral, Thirteenth and Locust streets, at 10 a. m. next Wednesday, when all the clergy who have aided in the Hickson meetings will administer spiritual treatment to sick and infirm persons who wish to continue the treatment begun by Hickson, or to begin such treatment.

Continuance of the work in the different parishes of the Episcopal Church is also planned.

Hickson Talks to Crowd.

Hickson made his first outdoor announcement to a crowd which backed the sidewalk and the street on Spring avenue. "I am very sorry that I cannot lay my hands upon any of you," he said. "Those now waiting in the church are all that I can treat personally. But I urge you to pray and to have faith in the power of God to heal your bodies and your souls. Do not let the work end here, but let it go on in every parish."

Extending his hands toward his hearers, Hickson then prayed, beginning, "Oh, God, stretch forth Thy hands toward these Thy children, and heal them."

The singing of the doxology, "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow," followed, and the crowd gradually thinned, though many waited in the hope that they might still, in some manner, get into the church. Among those turned away were 15 girls from the Blind Girls' Home, 5235 Page boulevard, who had come in two automobiles, in charge of Mrs. A. C. Birmingham.

The afternoon service followed a short intermission after the prolonged service, which continued until 2 p. m. During the intermission, Hickson took lunch in the parish house.

At the morning service, beginning

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BEGINS NEXT SUNDAY

"The Spoon the Pig Bit"

By George Agnew Chamberlain

An entrancing pirate story and a beautiful romance woven into one tale that holds the interest of both juvenile and adult readers to the last. Unique in its handling of the love motive. The odd adventure of a pretty governess, a young boy who is in her charge and a chap who, having sailed the Seven Seas, comes back again to find the "only girl" whom he could not forget since the day long ago when their treasure trove of a romp in the barnyard lot was the spoon the pig bit.

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TODAY ON THE
WOMEN'S PAGE

E. Phillips Oppenheim's
Splendid Story
"THE PICTURE MANIAC"

THUNDERSHOWERS PROBABLE TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	40	11 a. m.	48
8 a. m.	52	1 p. m.	51
5 p. m.	52	8 p. m.	48



A SIGN OF SPRING
SHOES \$26.

Highest yesterday, 72, at 4 p. m.; lowest, 48, at 3 a. m.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Increasing cloudiness, probably thunderstorms tonight and tomorrow; cooler tomorrow, strong southwest to west winds.

Missouri—Unsettled weather tonight and tomorrow, probably with thunderstorms in east and south portions; cooler tomorrow and in extreme northwest portion tonight; strong southwest to west winds.

Illinois—Probably thunderstorms tonight and tomorrow; cooler tomorrow afternoon in north and central portions; strong southwest to west winds.

KANSAS CITY TO HAVE BIG FAMILY CO-OPERATIVE HOTEL

Building to Be Triangular With Every One of the 300 Rooms Exposed to Sun.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 31.—Construction of a co-operative family hotel, 10 stories high, built in a triangle, with every room exposed to sun, will be started this summer on a five-acre site at Forty-fifth and Main streets. It is expected to cost about \$1,500,000. J. E. Maxwell of the Guaranty Trust Co. is handling the financing of the project through a corporation with \$500,000 paid up capital, the stockholders being a number of wealthy Kansas City men, who agree to live in the 300-room hotel.

For every room a stockholder desires to occupy he will purchase \$2000 worth of stock. The stockholders will choose directors annually, and these will administer the establishment through a manager.

J. E. Maxwell, who will construct the hotel, has instructions also for building extensive gardens, a swimming pool and a garage for 150 motor cars. An open court in the center will be a feature of the hotel. There will be a roof garden.

HOLLAND'S OFFER TO GUARD THE KAISER REPORTED SATISFACTORY

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, March 31.—The allied Powers have accepted Holland's last note regarding the former German Emperor, according to an Amsterdam dispatch to the Daily Mail.

The Dutch Government March 5 for the second time refused to deliver the former German Emperor to the allies for trial. This determination was set forth in a note addressed to the British Premier, which, however, declared that the Dutch Government would take all necessary measures to minimize the liberty of Wilhelm and prevent him from endangering the world's peace.

The communication stated that precautions to this end would be taken "on the spot." It was assumed that this meant that a close guard over the former German Emperor and a strict censorship would be instituted while Wilhelm occupied his estate at Doorn.

TESTIMONY IN CASE OF GIRL WHO SHOT STEPFATHER OPENS

Aunt of Ursula Broderick in Courtroom Corridor As- sails Mother for Not "Ex- onerating" Her Child.

"DON'T YOU DARE KILL HER," GIRL EXCLAIMS

Neighbor Testifies Girl and Mother Often Quarreled With Woodcock and Threatened Him.

Taking testimony in the case of Ursula Broderick, 18 years old, of 5017 Delmar boulevard, charged with first degree murder in connection with the shooting of her stepfather, Joseph Woodcock, a plumber, was begun today in the juvenile Court. To accommodate the large number of witnesses and spectators Circuit Courtroom No. 12, is being used for the trial.

The State contends that Woodcock, who was killed April 14, 1919, was shot when asleep, and without provocation. The murder was premeditated and the result of a carefully conceived plot, the State asserts, and in support of that assertion, it is claimed the girl carried a revolver secretly for several days before the killing.

In outlining the State's case to the jury Assistant Circuit Attorney Reader said that testimony would be presented to show that Woodcock, for long periods of time before the murder, was constantly in fear of death and that he told friends that he "slept with one eye open."

The defendant, on the other hand, pleads that she shot her stepfather in defense of her honor. She told the police after the shooting that Woodcock had lifted her from a couch on which she had been sleeping and carried her to his own bed, and that she shot him when he was stooping over her and about to attack her.

Shot Own Father in 1916.

On Oct. 16, 1916, Ursula shot and killed her own father, Thomas P. Broderick, also a plumber. She was generated by a Coroner's jury when she and her mother testified that Broderick was beating his wife, and that the girl shot him in defense of her mother's life.

She appeared in court today in a blue dress and stockings to match and a tan coat of three-quarter length. In contrast with her childish appearance when she appeared for arraignment shortly after the murder, she looked today more like a young woman.

Mrs. Bridget Corcoran, a sister of Broderick, sharply assailed Ursula's mother, Mrs. Lillian Broderick Woodcock, who was jointly indicted with her daughter for the murder of Woodcock, and who will be tried separately, when the two women met today in the courtroom.

Shaking her finger in Mrs. Woodcock's face, Mrs. Corcoran exclaimed: "Why don't you exonerate your child?"

Girl Defends Mother.

Persons in the crowd which had been attracted heard something said about a threat and saw Ursula step between her mother and Mrs. Corcoran. "Don't you dare to kill my mother," Ursula shouted, addressing Mrs. Corcoran. "You'll have to shoot me before you kill her."

Testimony began shortly before noon, when the jury had been finally selected and the witnesses called by both sides had been excluded from the courtroom.

H. T. LaBonte, stenographer in the Coroner's office, read from his notes, taken at the Coroner's inquest into the death of Woodcock, the following statement of Ursula: "I woke up. He had his hand over my mouth. He said 'keep your trap shut,' and carried me over to the bed. I had the revolver inside my kimono and when he put his hands on me and tried to hold me down, I took it out and fired." She said she was facing Woodcock.

Witness Tells of Threats.

Threats alleged to have been made against the life of Woodcock by his wife and stepdaughter were mentioned in the testimony of William P. Bright, 7001 Robin avenue, a plumber's helper, who was the first witness called by the State after the Coroner's autopsy surgeon had read his report of the post mortem operation.

Bright said that he lived at the time of the killing in a garage at 5052 Wells avenue, which was used by Woodcock as a storage room for tools. The witness was employed by Woodcock at the time.

One night about four months prior to the killing, Bright said, Mrs.

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SHOE MACHINERY FIRM ENJOINED AS TO LEASE CLAUSES

United Company Ordered Not to Enforce Objec- tionable Royalty Requirements Made Since 1914.

JUDGE TRIEBER ACTS IN CASE FILED IN 1916

He Holds That Right Re- served to Increase Royal- ties at Any Time Is Unfair and Should Be Stopped.

The United Shoe Machinery Co. of Massachusetts was enjoined by Judge Trieber in the United States District Court here today from enforcing any lease clauses that contain the restriction which were put into these contracts before passage of the Clayton anti-trust act in 1914.

The enforcement of the lease contracts made before 1914 is not prohibited, but the company must abrogate any contracts made since then and containing the same restrictive clauses and must not in future make contracts of the kind.

In his decision Judge Trieber says that leases made since the passage of the Clayton act do not contain the objectionable clauses which were complained of by the Government when it sued for the dissolution of the United Shoe Machinery Co. under the Sherman anti-trust law.

The decision says it is "established beyond question" that the temporary lease now being used by the company in farming out its machinery to manufacturers is intended for temporary use to avoid the prohibitions of section 3 of the Clayton act, pending litigation affecting the legality of the leases. The Court says it is proper to point out objectionable clauses in these temporary leases and to grant injunctions which will prevent the temporary leases from being replaced by more stringent ones.

Government Lost Appeal.

The Government lost its Sherman law suit against the company in 1918, when the case was taken to the United States Supreme Court on an appeal.

Judge Trieber in his decision today said the loss of the other suit by the Government had no bearing on the present case, as that suit was filed before the Clayton act was passed. The Sherman act, he said, was intended to check trusts after they had become hurtful, while Clayton act was designed to stop trusts in their incipency.

The suit decided today was filed in 1916 and argued before Judge Trieber at Little Rock about two years ago.

The decision says the company had two forms of leases. These were restricted and unrestricted leases. Under the restricted lease the user of the machine must use the company's machines exclusively, pay royalties on all shoes made on the machine, and on all other purchases for the machines, such as fasteners, twine and other accessories, only from the company.

The unrestricted lease was one that did not carry the restrictions, but required a large initial payment before installing the machines and required the same royalty payments on the shoes manufactured.

Rebates Were Received.

The Court found that holders of restricted leases received certain rebates and were not required to make the initial payments.

The decision said the cost of the unrestricted lease was 50 per cent greater than that of the restricted lease, the initial payments required on machinery to equip a factory being \$9810 for every 1000 pairs of shoes to be made daily. The Court pointed out that the large initial payment of more than \$500,000 on the machinery necessary to equip its plant. It would then have only a leasehold on the machinery.

Such royalty payments, the decision said, would be prohibitive to a concern like the International Shoe Co. of St. Louis.

The decision said that under its contracts the company reserved the right to raise the prices and royalties at any time and that this was unfair and should be enjoined. The Court also enjoined the company from enforcing the clause providing that it might terminate a lease at its own pleasure and it enjoined the clauses calling for royalty payments based on the number of pairs of shoes made on the leased machines and the clause requiring that all machine supplies be bought exclusively from the company.

HOME IN MIDST OF FLOOD BURNS; FAMILY ESCAPES IN SKIFF

Man, Wife and Child Get Away Just as Building Near Hick- man, Ky., Collapses.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HICKMAN, Ky., March 31.—Finley Black, wife and child, residing in the upper bottom five miles above Hickman, had a narrow escape last night when their house and barn burned. The house stood on a mound surrounded by back water from eight to 10 feet deep, the mound being just big enough for house, barn and stock. The house was ready to fall in when the fire was discovered and the heat was so great the family could not remain on the mound, getting off in a skiff with just the clothes they had on.

Their livestock burned or was drowned trying to escape the flames.

After the house and barn burned Black left his wife and child on top of a fence and drifted in the skiff until he could throw enough water on the mound to cool it off so they could return.

JOINT PEACE RESOLUTION INTRODUCED IN HOUSE

Republican Leaders Plan to Bring Measure Up Friday Under Special Rule.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—A joint resolution declaring the state of war between the United States and Germany at an end was introduced today in the House immediately after its approval at a conference between Republican leaders and members of the Foreign Affairs Committee.

The measure was referred to the Foreign Affairs Committee. Republican leaders plan to bring it up Friday under a special rule with the hope of final action before adjournment that day. Attention was called that this would be Good Friday and that war was declared on Good Friday three years ago.

The resolution provides for certain reciprocal trading with Germany and for repeal of the President's war powers. It allows Germany 45 days after its adoption in which to agree not to assert any claim against the United States which would not have asserted under the treaty of Versailles. A penalty of \$10,000 is provided in cases of violation of the terms of the resolution as to trading.

BRENT TO SUCCEED SANDERS AS FEDERAL BARGE MANAGER

Brigadier-General Hines Recommends Appointment to Secretary Baker—Hines Here April 19.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—It is virtually settled that Theodore Brent will be made Federal manager of the Mississippi River barge line to succeed M. J. Sanders, resigned, as chief of the new traffic manager, Brigadier-General Hines, in charge of the line for the War Department, said today that he intended to recommend the permanent appointment of Brent to Secretary Baker and that he saw no reason to believe the recommendation would not be accepted. Sanders has agreed to remain as manager until April 15, Gen. Hines said, adding that he hoped Brent would be formally appointed by that date. Secretary Baker is now out of the city.

Gen. Hines said that he has chosen Brent because of the strong indorsement given him by the retiring manager. Sanders will accompany Gen. Hines on an inspection trip up the river this month. They will probably start at Birmingham and will be in St. Louis by April 19, when Gen. Hines is to address a convention of the Mississippi Valley Waterways Association.

ST. LOUISANS PAY THIRD OF INHERITANCE TAXES

Since 1917, City Has Paid \$89-427.23—Jackson County Big Contributor.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, March 31.—Statistics on the Missouri inheritance tax law, made public today, by State Treasurer Middlekamp, who administers it, show that since the first passage of the law in 1917, the city of St. Louis has paid more than one-third of all taxes collected under it, and St. Louis and Jackson County have paid more than half. As figures also show that the large amounts paid in any of the seven other states which have similar laws.

Under the Missouri law, he State collected in 1917 only \$4,561.77; the collections aggregated \$177,389.06. In 1919 they were \$1,408,174 and up to March 31, this year they have aggregated \$316,658.68. Of these total amounts, St. Louis has paid \$89,427.23, Jackson County \$545,825.46 and all of other counties of the state \$5,605.30. The tax collected on the estates of non-residents amounts to \$100,073.79.

Court in Session Less Than Minute.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The Supreme Court remained in session less than a minute today, adjourning until tomorrow without announcing its opinion on the Government's motion for injunctions against Texas and Oklahoma, in the boundary controversy between those states.

SUP'T DWYER ADMITS NURSE BEAT PATIENTS AT KOCH HOSPITAL

COAL AWARD IS RATIFIED; INCREASE BEGINS TOMORROW

Miners and Operators Agree on Contracts Based on 2 Per Cent Advance, Effec- tive for Two Years.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 31.—The negotiations for a new agreement for the bituminous coal mines were brought to a close this afternoon when the general scale committee of operators and miners of the central competitive field signed a contract embodying the award of President Wilson's Coal Commission.

This new agreement, which involves a wage increase of 27 per cent, will become effective tomorrow morning and will continue in force for two years.

FISKE SAYS NAVY WASN'T READY FOR WAR BECAUSE OF DANIELS

Retired Admiral Tells Senators Sec- retary Didn't Have "Broad and Profound View" of Needs.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 31.—The navy was unprepared for war in 1917 because of "mental and temperamental characteristics of the man at its head" and of the policy he pursued as the result of those characteristics, Retired Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, 82, retired, declared today before the Senate committee investigating the navy's conduct of the war.

Admiral Fiske was aid for operations and senior adviser to the Secretary of the Navy for several years before the United States entered the war. He resigned as aid after differences with the Secretary regarding the abolition of wine on warships and over preparedness.

"Mental characteristics and previous training of Daniels were such as to prevent 'broad and profound view' of the needs of the navy as a whole," he said.

Daniels was "deeply and sincerely" interested in the welfare of the enlisted men, Fiske said. Naval officers felt that Daniels was carrying out efforts to "demoralize the navy" as an extreme, inconsistent with discipline, the Admiral said, and they thought that undue importance was attached to the comfort of enlisted men.

THIRDS SECTION OF FIREMEN'S UNION VOTES TO STRIKE

Eighteen Per Cent Increase Within 30 Days and 12-Hour Day Demanded.

The third section of the Firemen's Union met at the Central Trust and Labor Union headquarters today, concurred in the action of the two sections which met previously, voting to walk out in a body unless their demands for a 18 per cent salary increase and a 12-hour day are met within 30 days. The action was not necessary, as the two previous votes gave the decision a two-thirds majority.

Two hundred and seventy-five firemen were present at the meeting today, at which Capt. James Manion, head of the union, presided. The vote was unanimous in favor of walking out.

The firemen ignored the city's offer of a 10 per cent increase, holding to their demand for \$150 a month instead of the \$126.50 they get now. A committee composed of Capt. Manion, M. J. Mulvey and John McNulty will present the demand to Mayor Kiel and the Board of Aldermen.

"SUMMER WHITE HOUSE" PLANS MADE BY FEDERAL ATTACHES

Tumulty's Agents Arrange to Move Several Hundred Clerks to Massachusetts Town.

By the Associated Press.

WOODS HOLE, Mass., March 31.—Members of the White House staff were here today arranging for the arrival of President Wilson and his official family about June 18.

At the request of Joseph Murphy and Edward W. Smithers, secret service men who are representing Secretary Tumulty, real estate agents and other citizens made a survey of the town with a view to accommodations for several hundred clerks and administration attaches.

Two Patients Beaten After- ward Died, Complaints Al- lege—Nurse Still at Hos- pital, Dwyer Says.

HE CONCEDES WATER IS PUT IN MILK

Grand Jury and City Offi- cials Visit Institution to Investigate Stories of Abuse.

Following the receipt by city officials and by the Post-Dispatch of letters from patients at Koch Hospital, a city institution for the care of tubercular persons, complaining of mistreatment, poor and insufficient food, unsanitary conditions and bad management, a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday visited the hospital to inquire about conditions.

The charges in the letters included one that a nurse on one occasion had beaten a patient, who died a few hours afterward, and had struck another one, who died the following day, and that she was still employed there. Supt. Michael J. Dwyer told the reporter that, so far as he knew, this charge was true. He heard of it at the time, he said, and reprimanded the nurse. He didn't discharge her, he said, because she was competent, and there was a shortage of nurses.

The letters also stated that some patients are given one egg a week—and it of the storage variety.

Also in true, the nurse—

While the charges in the letters were being investigated, a nurse, who was supposed to be a patient, was found in a room, he said. However, that his family was not at the hospital, and the nurse, if any, are given to patients.

Milk Is Diluted.

Milk served to the patients is diluted with 25 to 50 per cent water, according to the complaint. Supt. Dwyer said it was true that considerable water was put in the milk during the winter, as the 37 cows which are kept there do not give enough to go around.

The letters were composed by B. W. Morahan, a patient. The one received by the Post-Dispatch also bore the signatures of 32 other patients. Morahan, who is 47 years old, is a man of marked intelligence and poise, and evidently has long been a thorn in the flesh of the superintendent, who termed him "an agitator" and "a crab." During the seven years which Morahan has been a patient there he has twice prevailed upon the superintendent to discharge him, but each time he was refused, and yesterday was ordered to stay for the time, to get out, his latest offer.

Supt. Dwyer yesterday brought Morahan into his office and to see if he had any complaints to make in the presence of the Post-Dispatch reporter. Morahan promptly took the superintendent at his word.

"The worst thing with which we have to contend is the food," he said. "There is not enough of it, and it is not the proper sort for persons in our condition." The reporter picked up a menu which Dwyer had shown him, and remarked that it appeared ample.

Menu Means Nothing.

"That menu doesn't mean anything," said Morahan. "That is kept here to show to visitors, like yourself. The cooks never go by it."

Dwyer interrupted Morahan at this point. "If you don't like it why do you stay here?" asked the superintendent.

"Because I have no place else to go, that's why," replied Morahan.

"Well, you'll have to find a place, because just as soon as this gentleman finishes interviewing you, I want you to get off the grounds," said Supt. Dwyer.

"I have a right to stay here; the public maintains this place for people like me, and I don't deserve to be thrown out," said Morahan.

"Well, I'm superintendent and while I'm superintendent I'll run the place, and you're got to get out," Dwyer concluded. Morahan proceeded with his recital.

"We get hash for breakfast an average of four times a week," he said. "Sometimes we get a little bacon, just enough to aggravate our appetites. Those of us who are able to walk get an egg every Friday morning. They are storage eggs."

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figure them in as they included otherwise, an average of 370 to 1,000 per year, which is less than 6 cents per month, less than 1 cent per day, less than 6 cents per year.

WORKING WOMEN

See Yet to Report—Be Kept Open for Several Weeks. Campaign of the Y. W. Club for a fund of \$100,000 for the relief of the unemployed, which is being closed with a lunch today at headquarters, 11th street, with a total of \$223,913.

are incomplete, of the men's committee. The subscription in an open several weeks.

lawyer, shoots self.

March 31.—J. R. X, attorney, was shot early today at his home. His wife, said the shooting was a result of jealousy.

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after the winter season display of Upholstered Suites at actual

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CHRISTIAN PEPER, TOBACCO MERCHANT DIES AT AGE OF 75

President of Wholesale Concern Succumbs to Heart Disease After Illness of Three Months.

WAS STORM CENTER OF WILL CONTEST

Long Known as "Christian Peper Jr.," but Was Alleged to Be Only Protege of Millionaire.

Christian Cornelius Peper, president of the Peper Tobacco Co., died at 2:20 o'clock this morning, at his home, 5296 Westminster place, at the age of 75. Heart disease, which compelled his giving up active business three months ago, was the cause.

"Christian Peper, known as Cornelius," as he was named in the will of Christian Peper, millionaire tobacco manufacturer, was the storm of a bitter contest over the will in 1906. He had long been known as Christian Peper Jr., and was presumed to be a son of Christian Peper. Doubt on this point was raised by the will contest. The intimation at that time was that Christian Cornelius was a protegee of the tobacco millionaire, for whom he entertained such affection that he adopted him and gave him his own name.

Suit Divided Family. The suit disclosed a family divided against itself, with most of the children appearing as plaintiffs and Frederick C. Peper, the oldest son, executor of the will, made a co-defendant with Christian Cornelius Peper, with whom he sided in the controversy. The allegation was that undue influence was exercised by Frederick and "Cornelius" and that Christian Peper was not of sound mind when the will was made. After the trial had been in progress a week, it was brought to a sudden termination by the plaintiffs withdrawing the suit. They stated that they had received information that relations between their father and Christian Cornelius were wholly different from what they had supposed. They acknowledged that he had "a moral claim" to an interest in the estate, and assented to a verdict sustaining the will.

Held Family Conference. The unexpected termination of the case followed a family conference on Sunday afternoon at the home of Col. Nicholas M. Bell, son-in-law of the elder Christian Peper, whose was one of the plaintiffs. The attorneys conducting the contest were told of the new information which had been received. The attorneys told them that the question of what should be done was a matter of family policy and not one concerning which attorneys could advise them. The decision to abandon the suit was then arrived at and when court reconvened Monday morning a motion for dismissal setting forth the new facts was filed, and the dismissal followed.

Christian Cornelius Peper's share of the estate was substantially one-sixth of the stock of the tobacco company and one-twelfth of the real property. The estate was closed in 1907. Peper has latterly been president of the tobacco company, with his son, Elmer C. Peper, as vice president. He is also survived by two daughters, Mrs. John W. Morrison of St. Louis, and Mrs. Anne Hamilton of New York, who is on the stage under the name of Jane Agnes, playing as leading woman in "Lightnin'" which has been running in New York since August, 1918.

The funeral will be Friday at 11 a. m. from the residence to Bellefontaine cemetery.

CHURCH HOLDS THIRD OF CROWD AT LAST HICKSON MEETING

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at 10, the aisles, as well as the seating spaces, were filled solidly, and the rooms of the parish house were crowded. The throng outside grew steadily, and overflowed the church and rectory lawns, which had previously been kept clear. Both at the front and the side of the church, the crowd became dense, and it was difficult for those leaving by the Spring avenue door, many of them crippled and infirm folk, to get through the closely packed gathering.

The Rev. Dr. Z. B. Phillips, rector of St. Peter's, estimated that 1100 were treated by Hickson up to 1 p. m. today, 2500 between 10 a. m. and 6:15 p. m. yesterday, and 1600 Monday.

Frank Wyman, 70 years old, of 8945 Cabanne avenue, who was Postmaster of St. Louis during the Roosevelt administration, received from Hickson this morning his third treatment for palsy, from which he has suffered for several years. He was assisted to the altar, as on the two previous days, by friends. After the laying on of hands and prayer by Hickson, Wyman walked without help to the vestry room, took a drink of water and declared:

"I am healed, and I am happy." Wyman had said, following the two previous treatments, that he felt he had immediate relief, but that he had faith to expect his restoration

Persons Reporting Help by Hickson Declare Improvement Continues

Mother, at Home, Tells of How Son Sees After Trouble With Eyes, and of Her Own Relief.

Post-Dispatch reporters have made inquiry into cases of persons who have been reported as receiving marked or immediate benefit from the rite of spiritual healing, administered by James Moore Hickson at St. Peter's Episcopal Church. The purpose of the inquiry was to determine whether the improvement to which was felt at the church continued afterward, and to establish the medical history of the cases, so far as possible.

One of the homes visited was that of Edwin Roth, 3 years old, and his mother, Mrs. Amelia F. Roth, 38, at 4329 Kennedy avenue. The boy had been reported as having recovered from a condition approaching blindness, and the mother as having been relieved of lameness and pain in her feet, caused by broken arches. The mother, when seen at the home, repeated in greater detail the story of remarkable benefit which she had told at the church.

Boy Sees Well, He Says.

Edwin was playing with other children in front of the house, and said his eyes were giving him no trouble, although in the morning he had been unable to see his way about the house. His mother, Mrs. Kramer, moved about without the cane she had been using to support herself during the last five years.

The boy's trouble, Mrs. Kramer said, was diagnosed by physicians as keratitis, or inflammation of the cornea.

"I felt relieved the moment I got up from my knees before the altar," said Mrs. Kramer. "I walked without the least bit of pain, although I had suffered intense pain in my feet and limbs for years. I was unable to move about the house without holding to things for support, and I never ventured out without a cane. Yesterday afternoon when I returned home, my neighbors expressed surprise at the improvement in my condition."

Tells of Son's Trouble.

"The case of my little boy is more remarkable than my own. He was sent home from the Cote Brillante School five weeks ago because his eyes were so bloodshot. I took him to the clinic at Barnes Hospital, and a doctor gave me something to drop into his eyes. After two weeks, when he complained that his eyes were getting worse, I took him to the Jewish dispensary at Ninth and Carr streets. The doctor there said that the trouble was due to a blood ailment, inherited. He also gave me medicine to drop in the boy's eyes, and ordered me to get spectacles for him."

In the last week, Edwin has been getting worse. He complained that he could not look at the light without intense pain, and when he moved about, he held his hand out before him as though he feared that he would walk into something. Monday night I was reading about Mr. Hickson. Edwin suggested that we go to see him.

Tells of Relief at Mission.

"This morning (Tuesday) Edwin stumbled against a chair when he went into the kitchen. He complained that he was unable to see objects in the room. I tried an egg for him, but he declared he could not see it. I had to feed him."

"When Mr. Hickson laid hands on the boy's head, the little fellow looked up at him and exclaimed that he could look at the bright windows without any pain. I was praying for him all the time. Mr. Hickson also laid hands on my head, and when I got up I found that I could walk without pain, and that I needed no support."

Dr. Max W. Jacobs, 5896 Cates avenue, an eye specialist who prescribed for the boy at the Jewish dispensary, said that he would require medical attention for at least a year, as he was suffering from a serious disease. He said the boy had shown marked improvement in the last week.

through the power of prayer.

Two persons treated this morning reported that after having lost the sight of one eye, they had recovered the sight of the affected eye, after receiving the rite. They were Mrs. Belle Carvell, 72, of 4053 Washington boulevard, who said the sight of her right eye was restored, and Louis Rich of 3201 Natural Bridge avenue, who said he had recovered the use of his right eye.

Girl Gives Up Crutches.

Anna Lipschik, 11, of Granite City, came in on crutches, her condition having resulted from infantile paralysis. She walked out without the crutches, but leaning on her father.

Mrs. Hannah O'Bannon of 5627 Vernon avenue, an active Episcopal church worker, whose annual custom it has been to collect Easter eggs and candy which she takes to hospital patients, and who was injured a few months ago by a street car, was in today's congregation and received Hickson's blessing.

A man who had lost both legs by amputation above the knee, and who moved about on a little carriage with rubber-tired wheels, propelling himself with his hands, was among those who received the laying on of hands. It was understood that he sought treatment for his weakness.

An usher said to a Post-Dispatch reporter that a negro, leaving the church, announced that she had been cured of blindness. He did not learn her name.

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Episcopal Rectors Plan to Continue Hickson's Work

RECTORS of St. Louis Episcopal churches will meet at St. Peter's church next Monday, it was announced today, to make plans for concerted work in continuing the Christian Healing Mission.

A meeting will be held at 10 a. m. next Wednesday in Christ Church Cathedral. Thirteenth and Locust streets, for all who wish to continue the treatment begun by Hickson, or to begin such treatment. All the members of the Episcopal clergy who have sided in the Hickson meetings will be present and will take part in the exercises of prayer and laying on of hands.

The Rev. L. H. White, rector of St. Mary's (the Bishop Tuttle commemorative church), Hamilton and Ridge avenues, announced that he would hold such a meeting tonight, and each Wednesday evening following.

The Rev. John S. Bunting of the Church of the Ascension, Cates and Goodfellow avenues, said he would begin the holding of classes in healing tomorrow. He plans a meeting for tomorrow night, when the laying on of hands will be administered.

Others who said they would begin similar regular services, to be announced within a few days, were the Rev. George E. Norton of St. Michael and All Angels' near Washington University; Dr. Z. B. Phillips of St. Peter's; Lindell boulevard and Spring avenue; the Rev. H. W. Mizner of St. Stephen's Mission, Sixth and Rutgers streets, and the Rev. E. S. White, Holy Communion Church, Washington and Leffingwell avenues. Dean Davis said he believed all the Episcopal clergy of the city would join in the work.

Mrs. Lottie Harden, 58 years old, of 2724 Lawton avenue, a negro, moved about in her home yesterday afternoon without the aid of crutches, although she said she had been using both for 20 years, and that frequently in that period she was unable to leave her bed for weeks at a time.

She was dragged by a street car in 1900, she said, and both of her hips were dislocated, and her right ankle badly wrenched. She has been treated by several physicians, she said, but only an osteopath had given her relief. She is a Catholic.

Mrs. Harden quoted the Book of James in the New Testament in telling of her devout belief in the power of prayer. She said she had not in the last 20 years been able to stand for any length of time, but that yesterday, after receiving the rite, she was able to stand for 20 minutes.

Views of Osteopath.

Mary Alice Crehore, 4269 Olive street, an osteopath who treated Mrs. Harden four years ago, said she was not surprised to hear that Mrs. Harden felt improved after the spiritual treatment. "Osteopathy grants that the Supreme Being has the power to put together that which He has created," she said, "and shall advise them to see Mr. Hickson if possible. We are merely instruments, with which God heals. I hope that Mrs. Harden will continue in her belief, and if she does I am sure she will steadily improve in health."

One of the instances of benefit was that reported by Miss Day Morgan, 27, who gave her address as 3164 Brantley place, and said she was able to see, after having been blind since the age of 7. A reporter found that the address given was that of her sister, Mrs. May Tibert, with whom she resides. Miss Morgan was in East St. Louis today, and could not be reached for a statement as to her condition.

Sister Describes Suffering.

"My sister suffered from a limp over her eyes and was extremely nervous," said Mrs. Tibert. "She consulted various physicians and eye specialists and was informed that she would probably be blind for life.

in admitting stretcher and wheel-chair cases.

The number of automobiles bringing patients was larger than on previous days, but as heretofore the majority walked from street car lines, and the traffic policeman at the Lindell boulevard corner had difficulty in getting the infirm folks across, and at the same time permitting traffic to proceed without blockades.

CITY EMPLOYEES TO DISCUSS 10 PER CENT WAGE INCREASE

Municipal employees, other than those in skilled trades, will meet Friday at 8 p. m. in New Club Hall, Thirteenth street and Chouteau avenue, to determine their attitude toward the bill recently passed by the Board of Aldermen granting them an increase of 10 per cent. They had asked for a 17 per cent advance.

F. W. Kuehl, president of the Municipal Employees' Union, said today that he would advise against a strike, but that he could not prophesy what the union members might decide.

He thought it likely that they would be guided somewhat by the procedure of the city firemen who also were granted a 10 per cent increase. Two-thirds of the firemen have voted to strike in 30 days if their demand for an increase of 18 per cent is not granted. The remaining one-third are voting today.

Negress Found Moving About Without Cane or Crutch Which She Said She Had Used for 20 Years.

We are members of the Catholic Church.

"I took her to Mr. Hickson yesterday. I had to lead her into the church and to the altar. When Mr. Hickson touched her head, she trembled, and as I started to lead her away, she told me that she could see. She described the vestments worn by Dr. Travers, and observed that a woman be-ide her wore spectacles."

On the way to Bellefontaine cemetery, where I took her to see the grave of our mother, who died eight months ago, she was able to read the large signs in front of street cars—the signs denoting the names of the lines."

Dr. John Green Jr., Metropolitan Building, an eye specialist, whom Mrs. Tibert named as having treated her sister, said he had no record of the case, and could not recall such a person.

Infantile Paralysis Case. A case reported to the Post-Dispatch, and investigated by a reporter, was that of Gertrude Taylor, 10, an inmate at the Episcopal Orphan's Home, Grand and Lafayette avenues. She was to have been taken to the Children's Hospital yesterday afternoon to be placed in a cast. She suffered infantile paralysis when she was three years old, and it developed into curvature of the spine, which made her walk with a perceptible limp.

In the evening her mother, Mrs. Lillian Taylor of 717 Whittier street, decided to take the child to St. Peter's church. After Hickson had laid his hands on her, the mother says, the child sprang from in front of the altar and exclaimed, "I'm cured." Her mother and a private nurse had accompanied her. They were surprised to see with what ease the girl left the church.

Later she was taken back to the orphanage, instead of the hospital. The matron at the orphanage today said that, although the child was still limping, she had no more pain in her hip and was getting around with much less difficulty than she formerly did.

Capt. Loraine F. Jones of Ivy Lane, Kirkwood, who has been totally blind for nine years, went to St. Peter's church Monday. It was said at his home today that since receiving the rite he had not been troubled with dizziness, with which he was formerly afflicted to a distressing extent.

Hickson Visits McKee Home.

Mrs. Charles H. McKee of 5116 Cabanne avenue, who is suffering from an organic trouble, was said to be feeling somewhat improved today. Hickson treated her at her home Monday night. She was a rest less last night as she had been, her nurse said.

William H. Thomson, 83, of 3805 Lindell boulevard, vice president of the Boatmen's Bank and for many years senior warden of Trinity Episcopal Church, who recently became totally blind, was said to have been treated by Hickson yesterday afternoon and received the rite from Hickson. He said today that, while he had not had any change in regard to his sight, he felt the soothing influence of Hickson's presence, and he passed a more restful night last night than he had for many months.

Mary Lee Bassett, 14, of 5059 Cates avenue, daughter of Mrs. Agnes Bassett, a trained nurse, suffered from tuberculosis of the spine, which caused a deformity of the back. She accompanied Mrs. William H. Thomson, who is suffering from rheumatism and chronic deafness, to St. Peter's yesterday. Both said they felt improved after the rite.

Something tugging at her shoulders when Hickson laid his hands on her, she expressed confidence that she would recover in time.

121 U. R. CARS HAVE BEEN USED FOR 25 YEARS

Perkins on Hearing on Application for Authority to Spend \$3,000,000, Says 245 Should Be Retired.

Two hundred and ninety-four cars now in operation on the various lines of the United Railways Co. should be retired from service "in the interest of economy and efficiency," according to testimony given this afternoon by Albert T. Perkins, manager for Receiver Wells, at a hearing before Special Master Henry Lamm on the receiver's application for permission to spend approximately \$3,000,000 for the purchase of 160 new cars and for track reconstruction work in the city and county.

Perkins declared that 121 of the 294 cars have been in service for 25 years or more and were of an obsolete type. He stated that 48 of these were wooden cars constructed by splicing together parts of the old cable "zip" cars with parts of the trailers once used on the cable lines. Some of these, he said, are now operated on the Olive line and are so old and worn that the sills and side posts constantly lay loose.

He declared that 73 of the 121 cars in service for 25 years were once used on the old Suburban line. The motors in these are of obsolete type and require frequent repairs. In response to questions, Perkins said that it would cost as much to put the 294 old cars in good condition as would be required to purchase new cars of modern type.

The company now has a total of 121 cars in service, and the number never in operation on any single day, he said, has been 1500.

The receiver proposes to spend \$2,000,000 for the 160 new cars. His application for track reconstruction work sets forth that 31 miles of city tracks and 4.4 miles of track on the St. Charles line are in need of replacement.

Perkins testified this morning that the reconstruction of the St. Charles line is made necessary at this time by the fact that St. Louis County authorities are about to make over the St. Charles Rock road, which entails a change in the grades of the railway.

In response to a question by Henry S. Price, Perkins stated that the Missouri Electric Co., which owns the St. Charles line, owed the United Railways \$55,418 interest on bonded indebtedness, but that it had on Feb. 29 \$37,732 in its treasury and for the first two months of this year had been "about paying its way." First was objecting to the United Railways furnishing funds to the Missouri Electric Co.

Would Provide Reserve.

In response to a question by Ephraim Caplan, attorney for John R. Seaman in the receivership suit, Perkins stated that it was expected that the improvements of the St. Charles line would be paid for out of a reserve of 10 per cent of the gross receipts which he proposed to set up and which he estimated would yield about \$2300 to \$3000 a month.

Perkins stated that he desired to rebuild about 31 miles of city tracks. Priest said he conceded that some track reconstruction was necessary, because the property had been neglected during the war period, but that as little work as possible should be done during the period of high prices. He said that, in consultation with Richard McCulloch, president of the United Railways, they had fixed 25 miles as the amount of reconstruction necessary. McCulloch, who is awaiting trial on a burglary charge in connection with the theft of referendum petitions, was at the hearing for Wells.

U. R. Seeks to Issue \$4,200,000 Receiver's Certificates.

JEFFERSON CITY, March 31.—The United Railways Co. of St. Louis today filed formal application with S. Price, Perkins' commission for the issuance of \$4,200,000 of receiver's certificates. Of this amount \$1,900,000 is to be used to take up that amount of bonds of the Broadway line, which mature May 1, and the remainder is to take up \$2,300,000 of receiver's certificates issued last Aug. 18, to mature in one year. The rate of interest asked to be approved for the new certificates is 7 per cent.

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MARY PICKFORD AND FAIRBANKS WED SECRETLY

Motion Picture Stars Married Sunday Night at Los Angeles in Baptist Pastor's Home.

By the Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 31.—Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks have been married, it has become known here. They obtained a license here last Saturday, and the ceremony was performed Sunday by the Rev. J. Whitcomb Brounger, pastor of the Temple Baptist Church.

Miss Pickford early this month obtained a divorce from her former wife obtained a divorce nearly two years ago in New York.

Miss Pickford and Fairbanks were married at 10:30 o'clock Sunday night at the residence of the Rev. Mr. Brounger. Those present included Robert Fairbanks, a brother of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Fairbanks; the bride's mother, Mrs. Charlotte Smith; Margery Daw, also a motion picture actress; the Rev. Henry Miles Cook, assistant pastor of the Temple Baptist Church, and R. S. Sparks, Deputy County Clerk, who issued the license. Robert Fairbanks acted as groomsmen for his brother, and Miss Daw acted as bridesmaid.

Bride Dressed in White.

The bride was dressed in white and Fairbanks wore evening dress. The ceremony took place as soon as the pastor could reach his home after conducting the evening services in his church. After the ceremony the minister read passages from the Epistle to the Ephesians, using a Bible which the bridegroom's mother had given him as she was dying.

It is understood the couple went immediately to Fairbanks's residence in Beverly Hills, near Los Angeles, where they are said to be passing a quiet honeymoon.

Declared She Would Not Marry.

On the night of her return from Minden, Nev., passed largely in dodging newspaper interviews, Miss Pickford gave out a statement that she "would never marry again, but would devote the remainder of her life to motion pictures."

When I was interviewed, Fairbanks are said to have been mutually attracted for some time through their motion picture work and success.

In obtaining the license the bride gave her name as Gladys Smith Moore and her age as 25; the bridegroom gave his name and age as Douglas Elton Fairbanks, 35. The license, it developed, was not issued at the regular bureau in the courthouse, but at Fairbanks's home in Beverly Hills, last Friday night, when Fairbanks gave a dinner party in honor of the bride, with the minister and the License Clerk as guests.

"Cupid" Sparks, the clerk, telling tonight of his part in the affair, said: "I had a hunch I might be asked for something in the license. When I was invited to the dinner, so I took along the necessary documents. When they brought the subject up I said 'I knew I'd get you two some time,' and Fairbanks laughed. After I had made out the papers, I said, 'Well, that's my masterpiece in marriage licenses. You can shoot me now. I never can stage anything better than this.'"

The bride's divorce from Moore was obtained on the ground of desertion.

Fairbanks has a son, Douglas Fairbanks Jr.

They said they had planned as a honeymoon a three months' tour of Europe by automobile. They will sail from New York May 19 on the steamer Royal George and land at Plymouth, England. They will visit France, Spain, Belgium, Holland, Sweden, the Austrian Tyrol, Switzerland and the Italian Lakes. They expect to return about Sept. 1 and make their home at Beverly Hills.

Fairbanks's comment to interviewers was: "Are we happy? I'll say we are."

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BOLSHEVIKI REACH CASPIAN SEA

Petrovsk Reported Taken With Enormous Booty.

LONDON, March 31.—Bolshevik troops have penetrated to Petrovsk, on the Caspian Sea, Red cavalry occupying that town March 30, according to a wireless from the Soviet Government at Moscow today.

At Petrovsk five armored trains and enormous booty were taken, and all oil wells were intact, it is declared.

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OMAHA, March 31.—Private Lester Duncan, who deserted from the army at San Francisco, where he was to start for Hawaii, received a pardon from Central Division Headquarters after he had been convicted by courtmartial. "Mitigating circumstances," mentioned in the pardon, is a baby girl. Duncan deserted when he received word from his wife the stork was about to arrive.

The Government of the United States notes with pleasure that provision is made for Russian representation on the International Council, which it is proposed shall be established for the Government of Constantinople and the Straits. This Government is convinced that no arrangement that has been made concerning the Government and control of Constantinople and the Straits can have any element of permanency unless the vital interests of Russia, whose problems are carefully provided for and guarded, are taken into consideration, and unless it is understood that Russia, when it has a Government recognized by the civilized world, may assert its right to be

As for Thrace, it would seem right that that part of East Thrace which is outside of the zone reserved for Constantinople, should become part of the kingdom of Greece with the exception of the northern part of that province. As this, the northern part is clearly Bulgarian in population, justice and fair dealing demand that the cities of Adrianople and Kirk Killaseh and the surrounding territory should become part of Bulgaria.

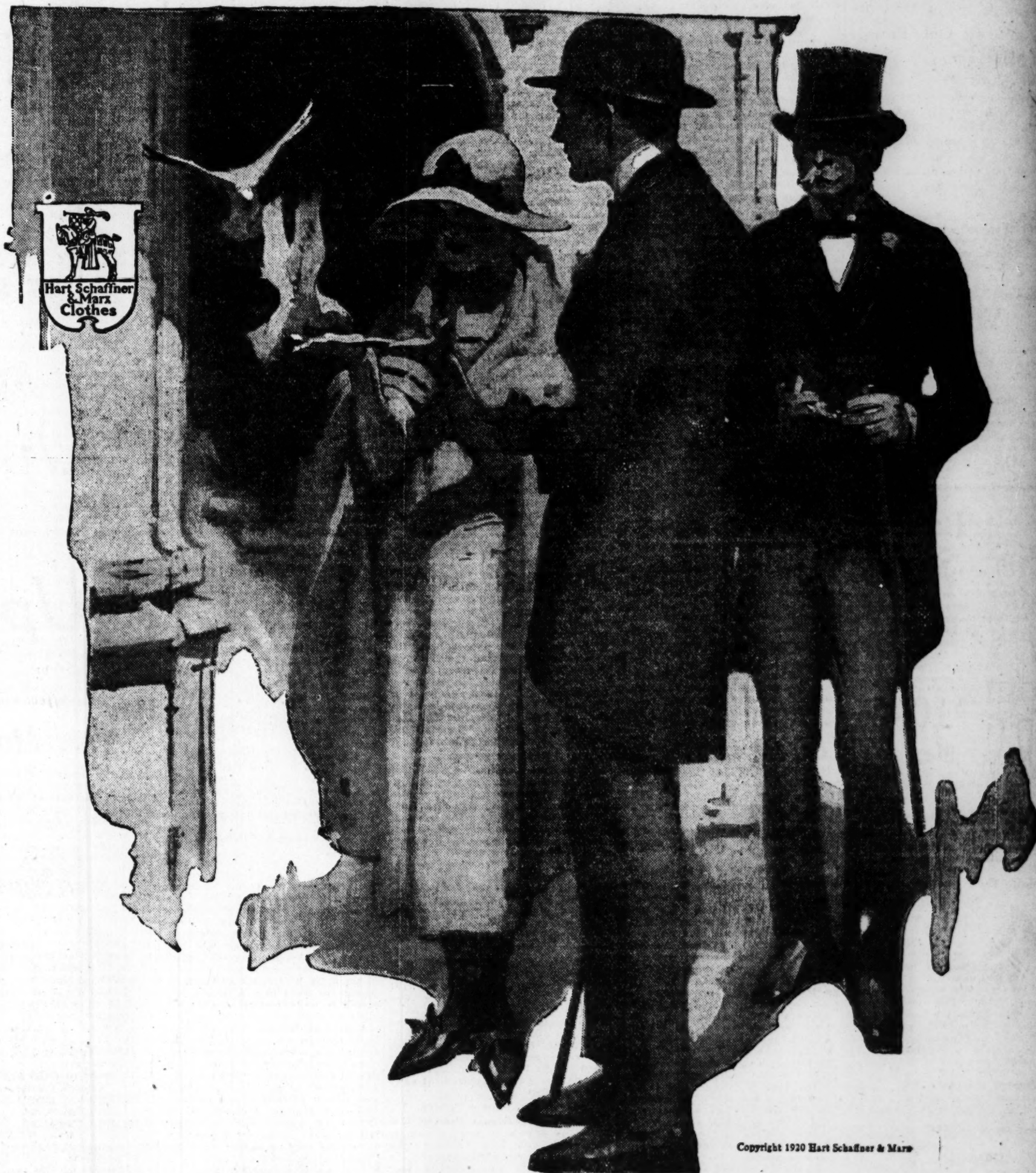
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MOTHER KILLS HER FIVE CHILDREN, SLASHES OWN THROAT
ELK CITY, Ok., March 31.—With their heads badly crushed and their

throats cut, five small children of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cowart were found dead early today in a tent in which they had been making a temporary home three miles south of here.

The wife and mother lay beside the children with her throat badly slashed. An ax, razor and butcher knife, all bloodstained were found in the tent.

Screams of the children attracted a man who was plowing a field near by, but all the children were dead before he reached the tent and the mother had succeeded in slashing her own throat. The eldest of the children is a boy 10 years old, and the other range in age from 4 months to 7 years.

The three older children were found piled on a bed, their heads crushed and their throats cut, while the other two were lying beside the mother on the floor, in the same condition.

Mrs. Cowart was rushed to a hospital here, but physicians hold slight hope for her recovery.

MARTIN CHILD HAPPY WITH HIS MOTHER

Boy Recovered by Court Order Found Playing With Toys— Calls Brother "Nice Boy."

Earl Martin, 6 years old, who was awarded by a court yesterday to his mother, Mrs. Constance Martin, 4131 Maryland avenue, from whom he had been separated since he was 2 months old, seemed perfectly happy in his new surroundings today.

He was playing with a toy train belonging to his brother, Paul, 8 years old, and expressed joy when his mother informed him that she was going to buy him an Easter suit "just like Paul's." Circuit Judge Crow of Belleville turned the boy over to his mother on a writ of habeas corpus directed against Mrs. George Thompson of Arthur, Ill., at whose home he had lived for three years. In disposing of the case the Judge, as was told yesterday, rebuked the management of the Mothers' and Babies' Home, 6600 Washington boulevard, of which Mrs. T. R. Ayars, 5210 Washington boulevard, is president, for what he termed "an unwarranted proceeding in holding a human being as a mortgage for a board bill."

Mother Paid for Board. Mrs. Martin, a divorcee, placed the boy when he was two months old in the Mothers' and Babies' Home, then at 3000 North Taylor avenue. She paid regularly for its board up to the early part of 1917, when she fell into arrears. After that she was not permitted to take the boy from the home, and later was informed that he had been placed in a private home. No information was given to her as to the boy's whereabouts.

As has been told Mrs. Martin instituted habeas corpus proceedings, first against Mrs. Ayars, then against the directors of the home and finally, after learning where the boy was, against Mrs. Thompson who had cared for the boy for three years and had come to regard him as her own child.

The boy was corrected several times today by his mother when, in response to questions, he told various persons that his name was Earl Thompson. He flew into Mrs. Martin's arms and kissed and hugged her when asked if he loved his "real mamma."

The boy was so wrapped in his play with the toy train that he paid little attention to visitors. He regarded his newly found brother as a "nice big boy" and said they were going to have lots of fun together.

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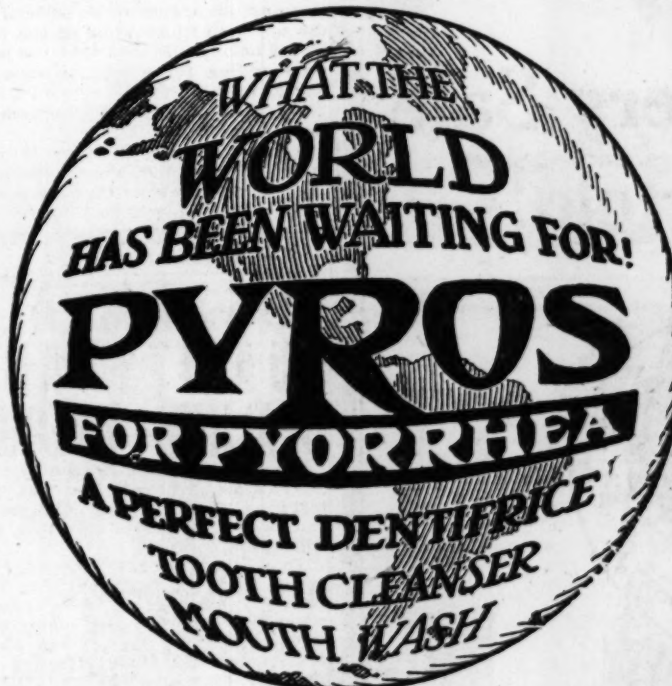
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Hoover Grateful for Pope's Aid. ROME, March 31.—Pope Benedict has received from Herbert Hoover an answer to the letter sent to him by the Pontiff through Cardinal Gibbons, relative to relief work among children in Central Europe. Mr. Hoover expresses admiration for the work of charity constantly carried on by the Pope and says he is "confident that Papal support of the movement will produce good results."

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CHICAGO VOTES \$4,000,000 FOR INCREASE FOR CITY EMPLOYEES

Aldermen Say Strikers Must Accept 10 Per Cent Advance or Quit Jobs.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, March 31.—The City Council today voted a \$4,000,000 increase in the 1920 budget to provide a 10 per cent increase for striking municipal employees. Aldermen said that it is now up to the strikers and those threatening to strike to accept the advance or quit their jobs permanently.

The strikers are demanding more than a 10 per cent increase, and indications are that many or all of them will refuse the proposed raise. Discontented groups of firemen and city hall office employees gathered in the city hall today and their sentiment seemed to be that the proffered raise is not enough.

Junior clerks get only \$90 to \$110 a month, some of the office men said. "That is not enough to live on, even if you add a 10 per cent increase to it." Half of the city firemen met this afternoon and voted to resign in a body on April 7 unless their demands for a \$300 increase are granted. The other half of the firemen will meet tomorrow, when the same action is expected. The firemen are prevented by law from striking so they have already prepared resignations and turned them over to their union officials.

112 ALTERATION TAILORS SAY THEY ARE STILL LOCKED OUT

No Prospect of Settling Dispute With Employers Seen by Business Agent of Union.

Frank Peters, 4259 Botanical avenue, business agent for the Tailors' Union, said today that the 112 alteration tailors who were discharged last Friday from the 12 retail establishments handling men's clothing, including department stores, were still locked out and that there seemed to be no prospect of settling their dispute with the employers.

Peters said that the contract, signed two years ago by the employers and alteration tailors, which expires tomorrow, stipulated that there should be no strikes or lock-outs pending any differences which might arise between the employers and the employees. Any question demanding arbitration, he said, was to have been submitted to a committee comprising a representative of the employers, a representative of the employees and a third member to be selected by the other two.

A committee representing the tailors, headed by Charles Holtzman of 1310 Cass avenue and Father Tim Dempsey, held an informal conference Saturday with Frederick Z. Salomon, acting president of the Associated Retailers, and tried to get him to suggest a wage proposition that might lead to compromise. Peters said, but Salomon informed them that the association would treat with the men only as individuals, not as trades unionists.

390 EMPLOYEES OF CAR PLANT WALK OUT ON STRIKE

About 390 employees of the American Car Co. plant at 1518 South Vandeventer avenue, left their work this morning, according to an official of the union to which most of the employees belong. He said that the men were asking for a sliding scale of pay of from 45 to 55 cents an hour. The present scale, he said, is from 35 to 75 cents.

At the company's office it was said that there had been a walkout of some employees but that the men's demands were not known.

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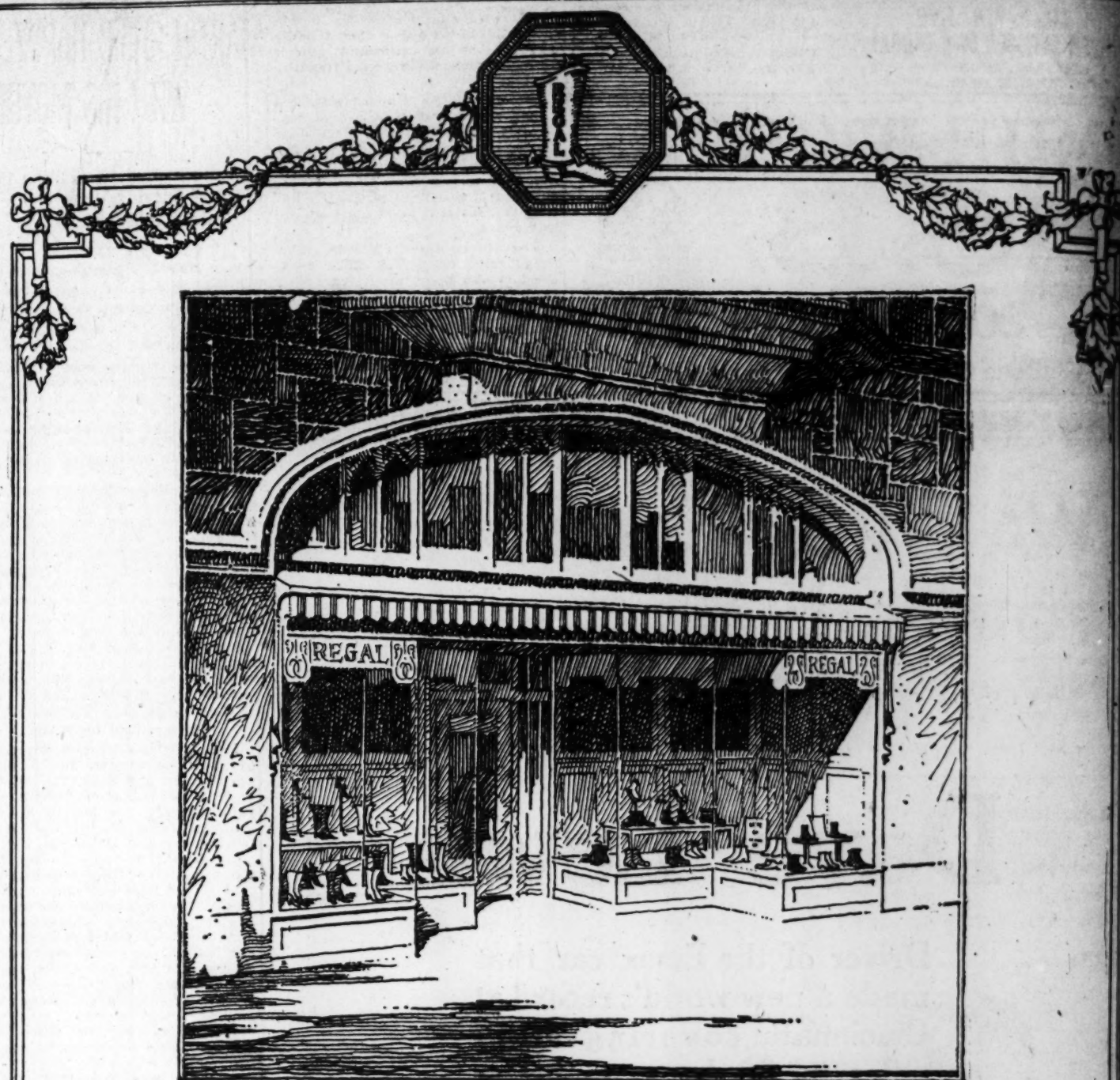
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Canadian Railways Lost \$14,000,000.
By the Associated Press.
OTTAWA, March 31.—The Canadian National Railways operated at a loss of \$14,000,000 during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1919, according to the first annual budget submitted to the House of Commons yesterday by Dr. Reid, Minister of Railways. Out of every dollar earned, he said, 78 cents went in wages. Construction this year, the report said, will be limited to completion of branch lines in the West.

GOVERNMENT SETS FORTH ITS CASE TO DEPORT MARTENS

Justice Department Submits Brief to Immigration Office in Plan to Send Him to Germany.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 31.—Hearings on the warrant for the deportation of Ludwig C. A. K. Martens, Russian Soviet representative in the United States, began at the Department of Labor today behind closed doors. Such hearings usually are open.

Assistant Secretary Post designated Inspector A. P. Shell of Ellis Island, N. Y., to conduct the proceedings and a brief was submitted by the Department of Justice, asking for Martens' deportation. Martens was represented by former Senator Hardwick of Georgia.

Martens is a German subject and should be deported to Germany, according to contentions of the Department of Justice brief.

The Government's case against Martens, made public by Assistant Attorney General Garvan, claims to establish "conclusively" his connection with the Russian Communists and his activity in the promotion of an organization shown to seek the overthrow of the United States Government by force.

While it remains for the Bureau of Immigration to dispose of the case, officials declare, despite Martens' "credentials," they will attempt to have him sent back to Germany, from which country his parents emigrated to Russia and where Martens twice was refused citizenship.

"Left Russia Hastily."

"Department of Justice records show that he 'left Russia hastily' in 1906 and never returned. Although he was born at Bachmut, Russia, he first was denied German citizenship papers because he had not served his enlistment in the German army.

In 1906, the brief says, Martens was arrested and served three years in a Russian prison because of revolutionary teachings. Later he was remanded to Germany, where he served in the army. On his next appearance in Russia, he sought to rejoin his revolutionary comrades but was denied admission and smuggled himself into that country, the brief asserts. His stay was short and the records show he went to London and then in 1918 came to the United States.

Officials assert also that, while Martens contends he has since been made a Russian citizen, he has been unable to offer proof.

Registered as German Subject.

Decision of the Government to list Martens as a German subject was reached primarily on the ground that, when he registered with London authorities early in the war, he classed himself as a German subject. Secret service investigation also disclosed that, while in England, Martens continued as an active member of the Russian Workmen's Socialist Democratic party, which since has become the Communist group under the leadership of Lenin and Trotsky.

Government officials have also discussed the bearing a decision would have on American relations with Soviet Russia if Martens were deported. Martens contended before the committee of the New York Legislature which investigated radical activities that the Soviet Government had granted him citizenship papers. Officials claimed that complications might arise from the very recognition of those papers when the

Government which issued them is unrecognized here. His absence of 13 years from Russia gives the Government's case added strength, officials asserted. They declare evidence showing his connections with the Communist element is "bomb proof" and that any effort he makes to avoid deportation will be futile.

Missing Aviator Found in Florida.
ARCADIA, Fla., March 31.—Lieut. Omar Niegarth, army aviator, missing a week from Carlstrom Field, was found yesterday by searching airplanes at a fishing camp. He will be brought back tomorrow by plane. He was said to be in good health.

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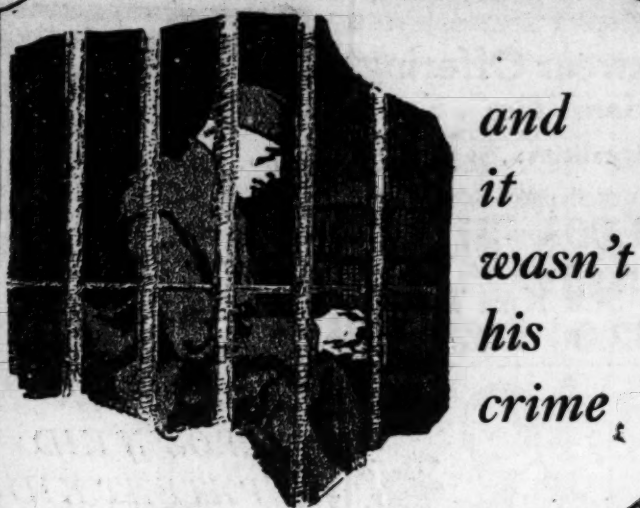
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BOX PARTIES ARRANGED FOR COLLEGE CLUB PLAY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradshaw to Entertain Party of 16 at Benefit Performance.

SEVERAL of those fortunate enough to obtain boxes for the College Club scholarship benefit performance at the American Theater Wednesday evening, April 14, have invited guests and arranged for box parties. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradshaw of 2119 Washington boulevard will entertain a party of 16 in honor of their two daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Frances Bradshaw. They will occupy the Wellesley and Pennsylvania University boxes. The guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Walter Petting, Misses Mildred and Helen Petting and four young college men.

Dr. A. Ross Hill, president of the University of Missouri, and Mrs. Hill will be honor guests in the Missouri box, and the other guests will include Mr. Charles Collins, president of Men's Alumni in St. Louis, and Mrs. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Nardin, Mrs. R. Conway, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson Burden.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Howard of 1591 Chamberlain avenue will have the Princeton box and their party will include Mrs. Franklin Morey, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Close, Miss Margaret Howard, Thornton Howard.

In the Washington University box, Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Hall will entertain Dean and Mrs. Walter McCourt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson, Miss M. Fenton and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Horner.

Some of the others who will entertain box parties are Mrs. Orono E. Scott, University of Michigan; Mrs. Ernest Stix, Bryn Mawr, Mrs. Lon Hocker, Kansas University, and Mrs. Harry Lesser, Yale.

Social Items

The marriage of Miss Mary Eloise Brown, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Fackler Brown of 4540 Parkway place, and Clifford J. Collingsworth of Dallas, Tex., will be solemnized at 7 o'clock this evening at the home of the bride's parents, the Rev. Dr. J. W. MacIvor of the Second Presbyterian Church officiating, in the presence of the immediate families. There will be no attendants.

Mr. Collingsworth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Collingsworth of Fort Dodge, Ia. He is a graduate of Drake University and attended Chicago University. He is a member of the Phi Alpha Delta Fraternity. The couple will reside in Dallas.

Miss Leslie Price of 26 North King's highway was hostess this afternoon at a bride party in compliment to Miss Elizabeth Auer of Milwaukee, who is spending the Easter holidays with Miss Margaret Steinwender of the Cathedral Apartments. Miss Steinwender and Miss Auer are both attending Miss Ely's School in the East. Among the other affairs to be given for Miss Steinwender and the visitor is a dinner party at the University Club this evening, and a buffet supper Miss Elizabeth Luytjes will give next week. Miss Steinwender will give two informal affairs in honor of her guest, one of which will be a dinner party on next Monday evening.

Among the engagements announced recently, is that of Miss Margaret Corley, daughter of Mrs. John W. Corley of 4244 West Pine boulevard, and Robert Hafferkamp Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hafferkamp of 4055 Magnolia avenue. Miss Corley is a graduate of Mary Institute, and Mr. Hafferkamp received his education at Western Military Academy. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mrs. G. N. Seiditz of 5939 Clemens avenue gave an informal tea yesterday afternoon for the women actively interested in the publicity for the College Club scholarship benefit on April 14. The guests were Mrs. G. M. Seelig, Mrs. Haymen Lowenhaupt, Mrs. Charles Martin, Mrs. W. E. Wittig, Miss Lillian Supp, Mrs. Roscoe Anderson and Mrs. W. W. Burden.

Dr. Bishop of the Missouri Social Hygiene Society will address the ladies of the E'Nai El Temple, Spring and Flad avenues, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Easter activity program adopted by the Cheer Club, of which Mrs. A. A. Carver is president and Miss Gertrude Moyle, secretary, is a visit to Koch Hospital in the afternoon and serving to each patient ice cream and candy. There will also be music, vocal and violin. The club has more than 50 members and its sole mission is philanthropic.

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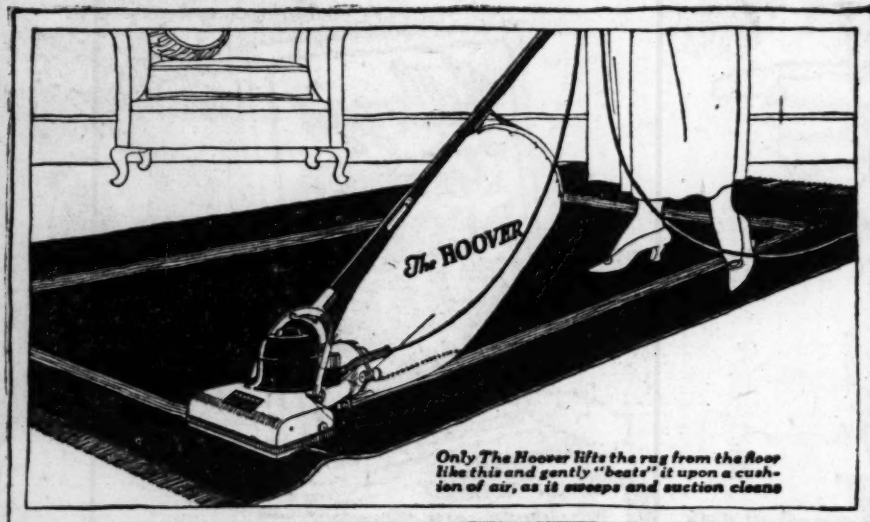
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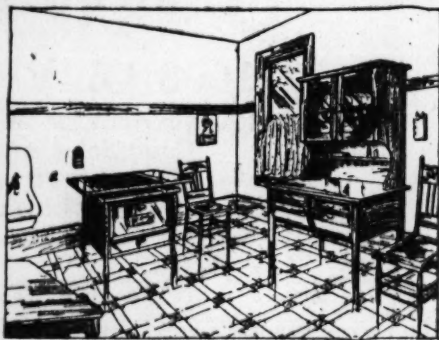
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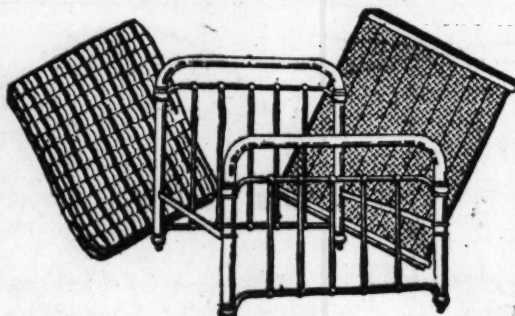
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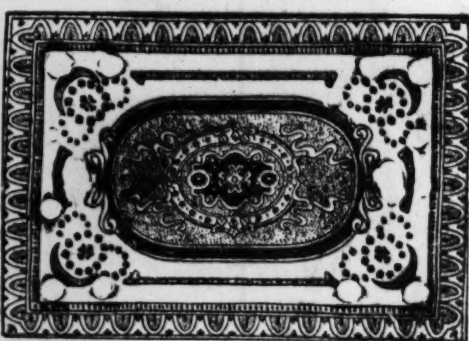


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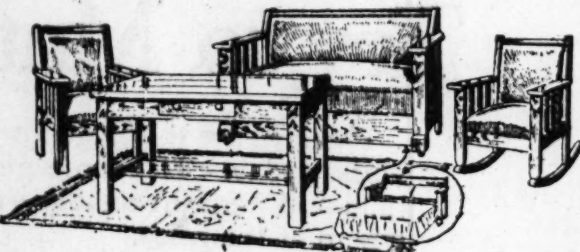


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FATHER OF GIRL TELLS OF ARREST OF UNION OFFICER

J. M. Hess Says Attorney
Homer Hall and W. C.
Rogers Told Him Daughter
Had Been Abducted.

Testimony was offered in the trial of the \$300,000 damage suit brought by Orville J. McSpadden, 3533 Henrietta street, secretary of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, against eight individuals and corporations, alleging false arrest and malicious prosecution, that Homer Hall, an attorney, and William C. Rogers, vice president of the Employers' Association, one of the defendants, were active in bringing about the arrest of McSpadden and two other union men on charges of abducting 17-year-old Marguerite Hess, a striking telephone operator, on June 21 last.

The trial, which was begun in Circuit Judge McElhinney's court Monday, was resumed today. McSpadden's suit is one of three for \$300,000 each brought by himself, O. E. Jennings, organizer for the electrical workers, and D. H. Knoll, a member of the union. The arrests which form the basis of the suit were made at Mme. De Foe's roadhouse in St. Louis County.

A deposition of Rogers was read. At one point in it he told of seeing Jennings and Ethel Butler, now Mrs. Ethel Niedinger of Collinsville, in a hammock together outside a cottage at the roadhouse. When he began to describe their actions, Mrs. Niedinger, who was in court, screamed and grew hysterical. As she was led into a hallway, she exclaimed: "What a liar he is. If he continues to tell those lies, I'll kill him."

Hess' father testified. Jefferson M. Hess of 2414 Henrietta street, father of Marguerite Hess, testifying for the plaintiffs, said that Hall and Rogers called at his home at 8 p. m. on June 21. Hall, he said, told him that he had overheard a conversation between the union officials in which it was proposed to take Miss Hess and several other girls to the county roadhouse. Hall, according to the witness, declared that he had followed Jennings' activities in other towns and learned he was taking young girls out. Hess said they prevailed upon him to accompany them to Clayton.

The witness testified that they went to Clayton, where they were joined by Sheriff Bopp, who accompanied them to Mme. De Foe's place. Hess said that upon their arrival he concealed himself behind a bush in the grounds and watched a cottage in which his daughter, three other girls and the union men were said to be. After a few minutes, he said an automobile drove up and two girls, one of them his daughter, and a man got out and went into the cottage. The lights inside flickered for a few moments and went out. They were reit within a few minutes and then Sheriff Bopp walked in. Hess testified that he followed and found his daughter fixing her hair in a washroom.

"Saw Nothing Improper." The father asserted he saw nothing improper within the place. He said that afterward Hall urged him to place his daughter in the House of Good Shepherd to prevent Jennings and others from "spiriting her away."

Hess admitted under cross-examination that the union of maintenance on a way employee of the Terminal Railroad, to which he belonged, had threatened to expel him if he prosecuted Jennings and the prosecution should prove unjust.

Frank Hess, a brother of the girl, also testified. He told of a visit

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NEW YORK ARTIST RECEIVES ACADEMY OF DESIGN PRIZE

W. Elmer Schofield Wins \$1000 With Painting, "The Rapids"—Other Awards.

By the Associated Press. NEW YORK, March 31.—W. Elmer Schofield, a New York artist, received yesterday the largest prize of the exhibition of the National Academy of Design. He received \$1000 for "The Rapids," the best landscape painting by an American-born citizen. Other awards were: Armin Hansen of Monterey, Cal., \$300 for oil painting, "A Boy With a Cod." James P. Hopkins of Chelmsford, \$300 for the best American figure composition, a painting entitled "Mountain Courtship." Robert Spencer of New Hope, Pa., \$500 for "Green River," a landscape.

Henry Rittenberg, New York, \$100 for the best portrait in the exhibition, a portrait of the painter Elliott Daingerfield. Anna Vaughn Hyatt of New York, medal of merit for sculpture "Joan of Arc." Kentaro Kato, New York, \$200 for oil painting of a young woman. John E. Costigan of Orangeburg, N. Y., \$180 for "Gossip," an oil painting.

WOMAN ACCUSED OF THEFT

Mrs. Dorothy May Denies Stealing Three Rings Which She Wore. Mrs. Dorothy May, 29 years old, was arrested last night in her home at 1802 Kennet place, charged with theft of three rings valued at \$125 which Miss Ruth Buford of Belleville had reported to the police had been stolen from her locker in the Ramsey Calendar and Printing Co., 1108 Pine street, on Feb. 10.

She was wearing three rings which Miss Buford identified as hers. Mrs. May declared that another girl employed at the calendar company had given the rings to her.

FATHER OF GIRL TELLS OF ARREST OF UNION OFFICER

Continued From Preceding Page. made by Hall and Rogers to his home on June 22, the day following the county affair. Rogers, he said, was introduced as "Mr. Robinson." The two visited his home, he said, to take him and his father to Clayton to inquire about the charges against the union men.

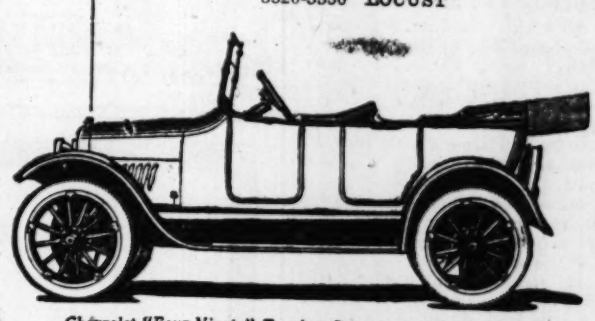
Cora L. de Foe, proprietress of the roadhouse, testified to the effect that the party had been arranged by telephone by H. H. Stacey, a service car driver. Stacey was in the party and was one of those arrested. He has since been identified as an agent for the Employers' Association. Mme. de Foe said that Stacey's voice was known to her from previous visits and telephone conversations.

Charges Were Dropped. The charges against the union men, as has been told, were dropped for lack of evidence. Miss Hess, who testified for the plaintiffs Monday afternoon, denied she was "abducted." Her father, upon whose complaint the arrests were made, later charged that it was a "frame-up" in the interests of the Bell Telephone Co. Jennings and the others were directing the strike of Bell operators at the time.

Rogers, during the war, was a Major in the Ordnance Department and in that capacity was sent to St. Louis in 1915 to serve as an arbitrator in a labor controversy at the Wagner Electric Manufacturing Co., which at the time was engaged in manufacturing shells for the army. Following his discharge from the army he returned to St. Louis and became vice president of the Employers' Association.

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He said he filled out a check for \$205 in the manner of payroll checks which he frequently had taken to the trust company, where he was known, to be cashed.

He obtained the money, he said, went to his home at Jeffersonville, Ind., sent for Miss Hays to come there and they were married in his home Jan. 20. He has been in St. Louis one week seeking employment.

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A permanent group of community stage players is to be formed around the nucleus provided by the Junior Chamber of Commerce Players' Club, which will appear at the Odeon, April 13 and 14, in "Happiness Ho."

The plan was outlined to officials of the Junior Chamber of Commerce by representatives of the players at a conference at the Chamber of Commerce last night. The idea is to develop the community spirit and histrionic talent in the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

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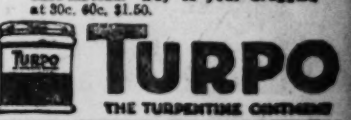


On the First Sign of a Cold

The moment you feel a cold coming on, take care! Eat less. Exercise more. Keep warm. Take a cathartic. Then at night use TURPO.

If your head feels heavy, put Turpo in the nostrils. Ward off sore throat by rubbing Turpo in vigorously and covering the throat with flannel. Drive congestion OUT of your chest by rubbing Turpo IN. The turpentine penetrates, the camphor and menthol cool and soothe.

Try Turpo for headache, neuritis, lumbago and other aches and pains; try it also to heal a cut, a burn, a bruise or a sprain. Turpo is the old household remedy of turpentine and lard, but in a newer, better form. No animal fat! A clean looking, clean smelling, natural base instead. Buy of your druggist at 25c, 50c, \$1.00.



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First Step in Treatment Is a Brisk Purgative With Calomel, the Purified and Refined Calomel Tablets That Are Nausealess, Safe and Sure.

Doctors have found by experience that no medicine for colds and influenza can be depended upon for full effectiveness until the liver is made thoroughly active. That is why the first step in the treatment is the new, nausealess calomel tablet called Calotabs, and which are free from the sickening and weakening effects of the old style calomel. Doctors also point out the fact that an active liver may go a long way toward preventing influenza and is one of the most important factors in enabling the patient to successfully withstand an attack and ward off pneumonia.

One Calotab on the tongue at bed time, with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea nor the slightest interference with your eating, pleasure or work. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified, and you are feeling fine, with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Druggists sell Calotabs only in original sealed packages, price 45c. Your money will be cheerfully refunded if you do not find them delightful.

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Be Fair With Yourself. Is Not Just Mental Contrivance. LOOK TO YOUR BLOOD

Take Peps-Mangan, That Tonic, Sold in Both Tablet Form

Feel fit this Spring, the weather. Don't give over your work, lose or blame yourself for a Spring illness. Remember how in the took sulphur and molasses to clear up the blood. Spring the blood is ill, fish, weak, and clogged. It needs help.

Why be handicapped? Why not be vigorous, blooded, full of enthusiasm?

Peps-Mangan is a blood builder and purifier. It becomes a standard in years. Prescribed by people are run down a

Give the children. They, perhaps, need it to safeguard their health. Spring days are important school year. "Spring fever," in real, not imaginary, usually due to sluggish

Your druggist has both liquid and tablet preferred. Equally effective. Ask for "Gude's" full name, "Gude's" on the package.

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Thousands of families prompt results. Inexpensive about \$2.

You know that pine all prescriptions and coughs. The reason is, it contains several peculiar have a remarkable effect and healing the most throat and chest.

Pine cough syrups of pine and syrup. This is usually plain sugar. To make the best pine that money can buy, of Pinex in a pint bottle with home-made sugar can use clarified molasses corn syrup, instead of either way, you make more than you can use for three times the money good and very pleasant.

You can feel this cough or cold in a business. The cough is hoarse and tight, or entirely loose from the phlegm. The cause is inflamed membranes—usually in 24 hours or so, for bronchial asthma or any ordinary throat.

Pinex is a highly concentrated of Norway pine. Pinex is the world over effect upon coughs.

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Feel fit this Spring. Feel as fine as the weather. Don't drowse and dose over your work, lose valuable time, or blame yourself for a condition that with many people is as inevitable as Spring itself.

Remember how in the old days they took sulphur and molasses? That was to clear up the blood. For in the Spring the blood is likely to be sluggish, weak, and clogged with poisons. It needs help.

Why be handicapped unnecessarily? Why not be vigorous and red-blooded, full of "pep" and enthusiasm?

Pepto-Mangan is a blood tonic—a blood builder and purifier—that has become a standard in the past thirty years. Prescribed by physicians when people are run down and anemic.

Give the children Pepto-Mangan. They, perhaps, need it the most. To safeguard their health, and because Spring days are important ones in the school year. "Spring Fever," remember, is real, not fancied, and is usually due to sluggish, impure blood.

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You know that pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine contains several peculiar elements that have a remarkable effect in soothing and healing the membranes of the throat and chest.

Pine cough syrups are combinations of pine and syrup. The "syrup" part is usually plain sugar syrup.

To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2½ ounces of Pinex in a pint bottle, and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you make a full pint—more than you can buy ready-made for three times the money. It is pure, good and very pleasant—children like it.

You can feel this take hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business. The cough may be dry, hoarse and tight, or may be persistent loose from the formation of phlegm. The cause is the same—inflamed, membrane—and this Pinex and Syrup combination will stop it—usually in 24 hours or less. Splendid, too, for bronchial asthma, hoarseness, or any ordinary throat ailment.

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DRIVER HELD IN ONE OF TWO CASES OF KILLINGS BY TRUCKS

Verdict of Carelessness in Death of Bricklayer at Natural Bridge and Taylor Avenues.

A verdict declaring that Daniel W. Walker, 22 years old, of 5659 Maffitt avenue, was criminally careless, was returned by a Coroner's jury today at the inquest over Augustus Anson, 47 years old, of 4639 Natural Bridge avenue, a bricklayer, who was run down and killed at 5:15 p. m. yesterday by a truck driven by Walker at Taylor and Natural Bridge avenues. Walker is a chauffeur for the Progressive Transfer Co., 620 South Seventh street.

It was testified at the inquest that Anson crossed from the north to the south side of the street behind a westbound car which had stopped for passengers. An eastbound car, which reached the crossing about the same time, did not stop. Walker was driving his car alongside the eastbound car.

Anson apparently saw the approaching car, but it hid the truck from his view. He sat across the track in front of the car, but when he had cleared the track he was hit by the truck. His skull and several ribs were fractured and he died a few minutes later.

Testimony of Girls in Truck.

Testimony that two young women were in the truck and that the truck was going more than twice as fast as the eastbound car led to the criminal carelessness verdict. When arrested Walker did not mention the women in the truck.

William O'Meara, of 5813 St. Louis avenue, Walker's helper, who was with him in the truck, testified that Walker was "giving two girls a ride." He said they "picked up" the girls in the 4000 block on Natural Bridge avenue and took them several blocks west and then turned back as the girls said they wanted to get out at Newstead avenue, a block east of where the accident occurred. He said the girls were not talking to Walker or distracting him in any way.

Ira Shoulters, motorman of the eastbound street car, testified that his car was going six miles an hour when Anson safely crossed in front, but was struck by the truck. J. A. Bristol, 352 North Spring avenue, a passenger on the eastbound car, testified that the truck was going more than twice as fast as the car.

Boy Also Killed by Truck.

A verdict of accident with no one held responsible was returned in the case of Leroy Kruckemeyer, 7 years old, son of George W. Kruckemeyer, of 4120 Clarence avenue, who was run over at Newstead and Kossuth avenues at 4:30 p. m. yesterday by a truck of the Grimm Bros. Express Co., 112 North Eleventh street, driven by Dennis Slattery, 19 years old, of 4058 Kennerly avenue.

Slattery testified he was driving behind a northbound Taylor car which stopped for passengers at Kossuth avenue. When the car stopped he slowed down, he said, but a car started again before he came to a full stop. At about the same time a southbound Taylor car had stopped at the same crossing.

Slattery said the boy ran across the street from behind the southbound street car and attempted to pass between his automobile and the northbound car. The boy was knocked down and run over by the truck. He was taken in an ambulance to the city hospital, where he died on the operating table. His skull was fractured. Slattery was ordered to appear at the inquest.

This is the second week of the police "safety first" campaign. One of the rules for pedestrians as laid down by the police and widely circulated reads: "When passing behind a street car look out for vehicles approaching from the opposite direction."

Yesterday's accidents bring the totals of automobile fatalities up to 26 for this year, 12 for March and seven in the last seven days.

Boy on Bicycle Knocked Down by Auto and Injured.

Frank Eisman, 15 years old, of 1533 Lafayette avenue, while riding his bicycle at Lafayette avenue and Grattan street at 5 p. m. yesterday was knocked down by an automobile driven by Chester W. Greve of 5923 Etzel avenue. He was carried across the street to the city hospital, where it was found his injuries were a scalp wound and cuts on the face. Greve was not arrested, as he said the boy rode in front of his machine. The boy was charged with having no bicycle license.

John Stack Jr., 15 years old, of 3808 Indiana avenue, suffered a scalp wound when he ran his bicycle against an automobile driven by Robert A. Kuntz of 2310 South Eleventh street, at 4 p. m., at Seventh and Barton streets. Kuntz said he saw the boy approaching and stopped his machine, and the boy collided with it when it was not in motion.

Walter Ehn, 27, of 1624 Park avenue, was riding a motor cycle at Leonard avenue and Locust street at 5:45 p. m., when he was struck by an automobile driven by Allen Seay, a negro chauffeur of 3131 Chestnut street. His right leg and foot were fractured.

Charles M. Shirley, 70 years old, of 5134 Westminster place, assistant comptroller of the National Lead Co., was struck at Seventh street and Washington avenue at 2 p. m. by a Fire Department supply truck driven by Charles McDonough, 64, of Engine Co. 43. His scalp was cut. McDonough was arrested.

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The Aftermath of Flu

This is No. 1 of a series of advertisements, prepared by a competent physician, explaining how certain diseases which attack the air passages—such as Pneumonia, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Measles or even a long continued Cold—often leave these organs in an inflamed, congested state, thus affording a favorable foothold for invading germs. And how Vicks' Vapo-Rub may be of value in this condition.

Your doctor will impress upon you that following recovery from the active stage of influenza, there often remains an inflamed, congested condition of the air passages—throat, larynx, bronchial tubes and lungs.

Frequently the cough hangs on—soreness of the chest persists—you take cold easily and there may be obstinate catarrh. This condition is slow to clear up and if neglected may favor the development of pneumonia, or later on, serious disease of the lungs.

Such cases should continue under the care of their physician—should exercise moderately in the open air—eat plenty of wholesome food—avoid overwork and sudden chills.

Nightly applications of Vicks' VapoRub may help nature to complete the process of repair. Because Vicks acts locally by stimulation thru the skin to draw out the inflammation, attract the blood away from the congested spots and relieve the cough. In addition, the medicinal ingredients of Vicks are vaporized by the body heat. These vapors are breathed in all night long, thus bringing the medication to bear directly upon the inflamed areas.

Vicks should be rubbed in over the throat and chest until the skin is red—then spread on thickly and covered with hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck and the bed clothes arranged in the form of a funnel so the vapors arising may be freely inhaled. If the cough is annoying, swallow a small bit of Vicks the size of a pea.

Samples to new users will be sent free on request to the Vicks Chemical Company, 231 Broad Street, Greensboro, N. C.

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THEATERS

RICCARDI MAY GET FREEDOM BY EXPOSE

Former St. Louis Lawyer to Be State's Witness in Bribery Scandal.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 21.—Constantine Vincent Riccardi, who, when practicing law in St. Louis, was known as the "Beau Brummel of the cabaret circuit," and who was indicted here yesterday on a charge of connection with a conspiracy to bribe police court officials, is now under an indeterminate sentence of one to ten years on a charge of appropriating a fee paid to him by Albert Rolati, who is serving a prison term for fraud. Rolati charged that Riccardi misappropriated \$1000 which was given to him to be used in furnishing bail for Rolati.

Riccardi, after filing an appeal, declared he could expose crookedness and graft in the police courts. It was principally upon information which he gave that the grand jury returned indictments against police Judge Morris O'Neil and Peter McDonough, a professional bondsman.

Riccardi wrote his graft disclosures in serial form and they were published in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. Although he also was indicted in connection with the alleged police court grafts, it is expected that he will be the State's principal witness and that in return for this service he will ask for clemency in the case of his divorce case.

While in St. Louis, Riccardi was mentioned in the divorce case of Robert B. Nolke, president of the Lago Club of St. Louis, as one of the several men whom his wife knew when she was studying for the operation stage. The court ruled that there was no evidence of misconduct on Mrs. Nolke's part which would justify granting a divorce to her husband.

After leaving St. Louis, Riccardi practiced law in Denver and Los Angeles before coming here.

EDWARD DEVOY HEADS CHARITIES

Archbishop Gleason Elected Honorary President by Catholics.

Edward Devoy was elected president of the Central Bureau of Catholic Charities at the annual election at the Queen's Daughters' Home, 400 Lindell boulevard. Archbishop Gleason was elected honorary president.

Other officers elected were: O'Neil Ryan, first vice president; Mrs. Seth Cobb, second vice president; George W. Wilson, treasurer; Rev. John J. Butler, secretary; and Miss Marie Haakins, assistant secretary.

Executive Committee was selected as follows: R. F. McNally, Rev. P. F. Crane, Miss Mary Hoxsey, Mrs. James Grace and Mrs. Theodore Belmont.

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ANON—Suddenly, on Tuesday, March 20, 1920, at 8 p. m., Augustus Anon, dearly beloved father of Mrs. Charles Anon, brother of Mrs. John Anon, and brother of Mrs. John Anon, died at his home, 1400 North Grand avenue, St. Louis, Mo., at the age of 82 years.

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Just 300 of these dressy cheviot and cassimere suits left! Cheviot tailored in the very latest belted model with slash pockets and full-lined knickerbockers! Coats are lined with mohair—size 6 to 18 years. You'll certainly like these suits at.....

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Judge at Edwardsville Decides Tobacco Might Soothe Unquiet Nerves of Lawyers.

For 116 years the air of the Circuit Court at Edwardsville, Ill., has been undefiled by tobacco smoke. Yesterday, during a trial, those entering the courtroom ran into a smoke barrage that arose in great clouds from the spectators' section. Through the haze, the attorneys could be discerned sending rings of smoke ceilingward and on the bench, Judge Louis Bernreuter unconcernedly puffed a black cigar into a halo about his head.

The 116-year-old rule was abolished by the Judge earlier in the day. Lawyers, at the trial's opening, had wrangled with greater than normal vindictiveness. They snapped at each other and encroached upon respect due the court. Judge Bernreuter stopped the trial. "Oyer in France our boys were rationed cigarettes to keep their nerves still," he said. "Let's try it here," and he set the precedent by lighting a cigar.

In a few minutes the air which had been filled with rantings was filled with smoke and the case proceeded rapidly.

Judge Bernreuter has issued the following smoking rules: "Smoking when the weather permits the windows to be opened. No cigarettes or pipes. Cigars to be extinguished when women enter."

PAYS COSTS AFTER FAILURE TO ANSWER SPEEDING CHARGE

Miss Lina Della, Arrested Saturday, Says She Thought Case Had Been "Fixed."

Miss Lina Della, of 4145 Lindell boulevard, a designer of hats for the Rosenthal-Sloan Millinery Co., paid costs of \$10.95 in Justice Werremeyer's Court at Clayton today after she had failed to appear for trial Monday for speeding. She explained that she thought the case had been "fixed."

Miss Della was arrested at 5:30 p. m. Saturday on the Natural Bridge road near Carsonville by Deputies Steckmann and Keller. She signed \$200 bond to appear in court Monday.

Yesterday a warrant was issued and was served by Steckmann at the Carsonville Garden, where she was having dinner. Miss Della told Justice Werremeyer that an official of the Wabash Railroad had taken the summons at the time of the arrest and had told her he would "fix it." Monday a person giving the name of an intimate friend of a Clayton courthouse official called the official and asked that the case be dismissed. The official refused and later the friend denied he had made the request.

JULIA STIMSON CHRISTENS ARMY TRANSPORT "CHAUMONT"

By the Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—Gen. Pershing was a member of the party that witnessed the launching of the army transport Chaumont here today. Miss Julia C. Stimson of St. Louis, selected by Gen. Pershing, was the sponsor. She served in France as an army nurse.

The Chaumont was named by the army heads in honor of Gen. Pershing, who made his headquarters at the French town of that name during the greater part of the time he was in France.

Miss Stimson now is in charge of the army nurses. She went to France as head nurse of Hospital Unit No. 21.



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March is the month in which to sow grass seed. So far, so good. But to sow merely grass seed may not help a lot. Because perhaps you have learned from experience that not all grass seed does what it is supposed to do.

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Tomorrow, Thursday

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Has four medium heavy, times, made of high-grade steel. Price..... \$1.75

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With one blade; frame 4 inches wide; blade 6 inches long; 1/2 inch wide; set at different angles. Price, each..... 27c
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Width of jaws, 1 1/2 in.; jaws, 2 in.; weight, 3 pounds. Price, each..... \$1.49
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Equipment, one 2-inch Cultivator tooth, one 10-inch sweep, one 10-inch 2-prong cultivator attachment. Price, each..... \$9.75

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The Picture Maniac

by E. Phillips Oppenheim

Mr. Honeywood Becomes Involved in the Peculiar Episode of the Murderer and the Madonna Thereby Gaining Financially...

FURTIVELY, like sinister shadows escaped out of the fog-hung street, the two figures, the man and the woman, paused in front of the gloomy shop in Wardour street. On the threshold they hesitated. The woman gripped her companion's arm.

"It is here?" she whispered.

"Here," he assented.

"How I tremble!"

"Be brave," he muttered hoarsely. "It will be over in a minute."

"Supposing," she faltered, "there have been inquiries?"

"If a thunderbolt should come from heaven and kill us," he said, "that is the end. If the pictures have been traced here, that again will be the finish. But I do not believe it. Courage! Follow me."

He lifted the latch and they entered. The interior of the shop, lit only by a single gas jet, was as uninviting as the November streets outside. Little patches of fog seemed to hang about in the distant corners. The articles for sale had all a tawdry and unclean look. There was a musty smell of discarded and moth-raided garments. The man noticed none of these in his pulses. The woman with the flame-colored hair looked up from the book in which she had been writing and stood expectantly behind the counter.

"We have come to see you," the man began in a low tone, "concerning some pictures which were left with you in May last."

"Some pictures?" the shopkeeper repeated.

The woman who had entered with the man took up the conversation.

"There were two of them," she explained. "They were left here on the 13th of May last by William Lane. You lent him 6 pounds upon them."

The woman behind the counter nodded shortly.

"William Lane he called himself," she observed. "Some sort of a foreigner I reckoned him."

The inquirer nodded. She had not lifted her veil, and her voice sounded a little thick and smothered.

"That does not matter, does it?" she went on. "With great generosity you lent him 6 pounds upon them. He can return to this country. He is very ill."

"He is dying," the man put in.

"Dying," his companion repeated. "Therefore, when he knew that we were coming to London, my husband and I, he gave me this paper and the 6 pounds, and some more money for interest, and we promised that we would send him back his pictures."

She fumbled in the little bag which she was

carrying, drew out a slip of paper which she laid upon the counter, and held some notes tentatively in her hand. The shopkeeper picked up the former and read it.

"This is to entitle the bearer to redeem on my behalf the pictures deposited at Atkins, number 17 Wardour street, as security for a loan of 6 pounds. (Signed) William Lane."

"Yes," she said, putting it down. "That's all right, but it comes a little late."

The man, who had been standing in nervous silence, his hat drawn over his eyes, his ungloved hand playing with his beard, gave vent to a sudden hoarse exclamation. The woman's eyes glowed beneath her veil.

"Too late?" she repeated. "What do you mean?"

"I mean that I have sold the pictures," the shopkeeper declared, a note of belligerency already creeping into her tone. "There was nothing said about how long I was to keep them. Times are bad, and it's more than six months ago since they were left here."

There was a moment's intense silence. The woman seized the back of a chair, dragged it round, and collapsed into it.

"But you had no right to do that," she protested. "The pictures were only left with you as security. They were quite valuable."

"Can't help that," the shopkeeper replied. "I sold the two for 9 guineas. I don't want any profit. You pay me a sovereign for the loan and I'll hand you back the balance."

"The balance," the woman repeated—"2 pounds! My word!"

The man suddenly struck the counter with his fist.

"But this cannot be!" he declared passionately. "The pictures were not yours. They were worth money—a great sum of money. If you have disposed of them you must get them back. Yes!—you hear that?—you must get them back!"

"The pictures weren't mine, perhaps," the shopkeeper argued truculently, "but I am not so sure, either, that they belonged to the William Lane who brought them here. How about that, eh?"

"It is not your business," was the fierce reply. "I ain't so sure about that. And now I come to look at you, mister," the woman went on, leaning across the counter. "It seems to me you can speak for yourself. I didn't recognize you in your black beard. What's the meaning of all this flummery, eh?"

"I want my pictures," the man groaned.

"Well, I've told you the truth about them," she replied, "and what's done can't be undone. You can have your 2 pounds."

"Who bought them?" he interrupted hoarsely.

"A little man with gold spectacles, name of

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Honeywood. He's over at the Milan hotel. If you doubt my word you can go to him. Here's your 2 pounds, and good-night to you both."

The man caught at her outstretched wrist and held her as though in a vise.

"It is you who must get back these pictures," he insisted hoarsely, "you! Put on your hat. Go to see this man. Offer him double what he gave you. You shall have the money—more—

only get me back my pictures."

She wrenched herself free.

"Look here," she said. "I've had enough of you, Mr. William Lane. If the pictures are worth all that much, how did you come by them, eh?"

"That is not your affair," he snarled.

"Ain't it!" the shopkeeper retorted. "I'm not so sure of that. Anyway, I've no more time to stand here jawing. I sold the pictures and that's the end of it. If you're going to make a disturbance we'll have the policeman in. He's a friend of mine, and there he goes on the other side of the road."

Somehow or other the man and the woman stumbled out of the shop. Flushed with triumph, the shopkeeper watched them disappear

into the fog. Then she took up the two pounds which they had left upon the counter, threw it into the till, and looked up. The honors remained with her.

Mr. Mendel Honeywood, the little man from Okehamstead, U. S. A., was lunching with his friend, Mr. Van Clarence Smith, at a window table in the Milan grillroom one morning a few days later. At the next table a man and a woman, olive-skinned, black-eyed, listened for the crumbs of their conversation. A little distance away Lord Grim, the collector of nameless pictures and the autocrat of Christie's, ate a solitary meal with a newspaper propped up in front of him.

"I wonder," the great Mr. Van Clarence Smith asked his companion a little curiously, "what really brought you to Europe?"

Mr. Honeywood was quite ingenuous and straightforward about the matter.

"You cannot wonder more than I do," he confessed. "For fifteen years I lived with my wife a life of absolute and flawless respectability. I attended church twice on Sundays, I owned my home, I took my wife buggy driving once a week, my salary was \$5000 a year, and I was looked upon as the steadiest man in the office. Yet all the time there must have been something inside dragging me out of the ruts. I used to idle away valuable minutes of the day, hanging about the tourist offices, looking at the colored photographs of steamers crossing the ocean. I used to stuff my pockets full of pamphlets containing information about tours to all sorts of impossible places. The week before I came away the manager of our company called me into the office. He told me that they had decided next year to give me a raise of \$500 and the management of a small branch office. My wife was delighted. She proposed that we should sell our buggy and buy a Ford. She had no further ambition."

"You've still got me puzzled," Mr. Van Clarence Smith declared frankly.

"What I don't understand myself," was the quiet reply, "it is scarcely possible that you would. I only know that the day after that interview I realized all my savings and placed them

in the bank in my wife's name. I kept exactly \$500, and I landed in London with half a crown. I lost the rest at bridge on the steamer."

"What sort of a woman is your wife?"

Mr. Honeywood coughed and looked down at his plate.

"She is a little older than I am," he said, "and when I married her she was what is called a fine woman. She is now heavy—very heavy. Her sight is unfortunately bad and she wears glasses. Ever since we were married she had labored under the impression that I am deaf, and in our little house and garden her voice follows me wherever I go."

Mr. Van Clarence Smith was no longer puzzled. "Does she know where you are?" he asked.

"She has no idea," Mr. Honeywood replied. "If she should discover, I must move on. I am employing an hour a day in studying the French language. At the same time, I do not think that my wife would venture upon the sea. She has a horror of traveling."

Mr. Van Clarence Smith smiled curiously. His interest in his companion remained unabated.

"You're a queer little chap," he remarked, "to take a plunge like this. I still don't quite see—"

"You wouldn't," Mr. Honeywood interrupted hastily. "I can't understand it myself. I only know that day by day things lost their savor for me. I didn't care about my seat in front of my roll-top desk, the details of my business, my luncheon club, the ride home in the cars, our stiff evening meals—my wife never allowed liquor in the house—nor any blamed thing I had to do. I just felt that I wanted to tear off the coat of respectability I'd kept buttoned around me all my life, trample it under foot, get rid of all that the president of our company used to call the moral principles of a business man's life. I just felt I had to go on an everlasting bus, or quit it for good and all. I chose the former."

"You're some sport," Mr. Van Clarence Smith declared, with a sort of humorous admiration.

"You've made a pretty good start among the boys, too. What are you going to do about the other picture?"

(To Be Continued Tomorrow and Friday and Concluded Saturday.)

IN NEXT SUNDAY'S POST-DISPATCH AND CONTINUING MONDAY AND TUESDAY

THE SPOON THE PIG BIT

By GEORGE AGNEW CHAMBERLAIN

The seventh in the series of 52 short stories by the fiction headlines of today, being published in the Post-Dispatch, and one of the most delightful of the entire series.

Love Letters of the Czarina to the Czar

By ISAAC DON LEVINE.
Article II.—In the Early Days of War.

WITH the exception of the first letter, written from the Crimea in the spring of 1914, the correspondence of the Czarina begins on Oct. 2 (Sept. 19, according to the old style), 1914, two months after the outbreak of the war. All of the Czarina's letters are dated according to the Greek calendar, which is 13 days later than ours.

While the first letter was sent from the sun-steeped south where the world was still at peace, it is of great interest because it opens before us the gazing eyes of the imperial couple's marital life. The second letter was written on the occasion of the Czar's first departure for the front from his residence in Tsarskoye Selo. In the following letter there is a remarkable quotation from a confidential communication the Czarina had received from a member of the British royal family. In it are revealed some sensational facts as to the relations of the French and British armies in the early days of the war. The Czarina asks her husband not to tell anybody of the letter.

Today's installment of letters is typical of the whole collection. Through them all run the strain of love, mixed with gossip and comments on political events.

"L'Amour, April 28, 1914.
"My sweetest treasure, my very own:
"You will read these lines when

bedroom and enlarged the old one. Johnny Chuck made a long back hallway out to the little bush where he planned one back door. He planned that hallway up, and by and by his little black paws dug right up into the sunlight under the bush.

Now, it would have been a great deal easier to have started that back hallway from the outside. It would have been very much easier. Then Johnny could have thrown the dirt out behind him just as he had done at his front doorway. But Johnny hadn't done this. Can you guess why? It was because he wanted that back door to be a secret. If he had thrown out the earth it would have given his secret away. Every one who came that way would have seen the mound of shining sand and known that there was an entrance to Johnny's home.

So Johnny had started from the other end and had pulled all that sand back and out of his front door. When he had finished his back door, there was no sand around it at all. There was just a hole in the ground under that bush, and that hole was just big enough for Johnny and Polly

you get into your bed in a strange place and unknown house. God grant that the journey may be a pleasant and interesting one and not too tiring nor too dusty. I am so glad to have the map, as I can follow you hourly. I shall miss you terribly, but I am glad for you that you will be away for two days and get new impressions and hear nothing of Ania's stories. My heart is heavy and sorrowful—must be your kindness and love always be repaid thus? The black family, and now she? One is always told one can never love enough. Here we gave our hearts, our home to her, our private life even—and this is what we have gained! It is difficult not to become bitter—it seems so cruelly unjust.

"May God have mercy and help us. The heart is so heavy! I am in despair that she gives you worries and disagreeable conversations, no rest for you, either. Well, try and forget all these two days. I bless you and cross you and hold you tightly in my arms—kiss you all over with boundless love and devotion. I shall be in church tomorrow morning at 9 and try to go again on Thursday. It does me good to pray for you when we are separated—cannot become accusatory—forever so short, not to have you in the house, though I have our five treasures.

"Sleep well, my Sunshine, my own precious one, and thousand tender kisses from your own old WIFE."

"God bless and keep you."

("The black family" probably re-

to go in and out. That little bush hid the hole somewhat. The grass would grow right up to the very edge of it. It was a topic I on purpose did not touch, knowing and perfectly well understanding your feelings, at the same time realizing that it is better you are out at the head of the army. This journey will be a tiny comfort to you and I trust you will manage to see many troops. I can picture to myself their joy seeing you and all your feelings. Alas, that I cannot be with you to see it all. It is more than ever hard to bid good-bye to you, my angel—the blank after departure is so intense! Then you, I know, notwithstanding all you will have to do, will still miss your little family and precious ago wee one. He will quickly get better now that our friend has seen him and that will be a relief to you.

"May the news only be good whilst you are away, as to know you have hard news to bear alone makes the heart bleed. Looking after wounded is my consolation, and that is why the last morning I even went to go there, whilst you are receiving, so as to keep my

Sad Parting When Nicholas Goes to Front—A Princess Writes of British After Mons.

Love Messages and Gossip for Absent Emperor—Gen. Ruzsky Is Promoted—Hope Placed in Rasputin.

fers to Mathilde Ksheshinskaya, the famous Polish dancer of the imperial ballet, and the two children she had borne to the Czar. Nicholas' relations with Ksheshinskaya began when he was still Czarévitch, some years before his marriage, and continued for several years after his marriage to the Czarina.

"And now she" is a hint of the trouble given to the Empress by Ania Virubova, who had been admitted into the inner imperial circle by the Czarina. It is clear that the Czarina was anxious for her husband to "hear nothing of Ania's stories."

"Our five treasures" means the five children, the four Grand Duchesses—Olga, Tatiana, Marie and Anastasia—and the Czarévitch, Alexei, who is frequently mentioned in the correspondence as "Baby."

"Help From 'Our Friend,'" "Tsarskoye Selo, Sept. 19, 1914."

"My own, my very own sweet one:

"I am so happy for you that you can at last manage to go, as I know how deeply you have been suffering all this time—your restless sleep has been even a proof of it. It was a topic I on purpose did not touch, knowing and perfectly well understanding your feelings, at the same time realizing that it is better you are out at the head of the army. This journey will be a tiny comfort to you and I trust you will manage to see many troops. I can picture to myself their joy seeing you and all your feelings. Alas, that I cannot be with you to see it all. It is more than ever hard to bid good-bye to you, my angel—the blank after departure is so intense! Then you, I know, notwithstanding all you will have to do, will still miss your little family and precious ago wee one. He will quickly get better now that our friend has seen him and that will be a relief to you.

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sprits up and not break down before you. To lessen their suffering even in a small way helps the aching heart. Except all I go through with you and our beloved country and men, I suffer for my 'small old home' and her troops and Ernle and Irene and many a friend in sorrow there—but how many go through the same? And then the shame, the humiliation to think that Germans should behave as they do! Egotistically I suffer horribly to be separated—we are not accustomed to it and I do so endlessly love my very own precious Boy dear. Soon 20 years that I belong to you and what bliss it has been to be your very own little WIFE."

"Forever your very own old WIFE."
("Agoo wee one" is a term of endearment frequently used by the Czarina. In this case it designates the Czarévitch, who was always suffering from ill health.

"Our Friend has seen him" is a striking confirmation of Rasputin's power over the Czarina, who believed that it was enough for the monk to see the Czarévitch in order to make her child better.

"Friend"—always with the capital—is the Czarina's favorite appellation of Rasputin. Sometimes she refers to him as "Gregory."

"Small old home," the little German country of Hesse, of which the Czarina was a Princess.

"Ernie and Irene," brother and sister of the Czarina. Ernle is Grand Duke of Hesse. Irene is the wife of Prince Henry of Prussia, the Kaiser's brother.

"One Cannot Trust Those Poles."

"Tsarskoye Selo, 23d Sept., 1914."

"My own beloved darling—I was so sorry not to be able to write to you yesterday, but my head ached hideously and I lay all the evening in the dark. In the morning we went to the Pestchery chapel for half of the service and that was lovely. I had been before to see Baby. Then we fetched the Princess Gedroitz at Ania's."

"My head already ached and I can't take any medicine now, neither for my heart. We worked from 10 to 1, as there was an operation which lasted long. . . ."

"Thank God, the news continues

being good, and the Prussians retire. The mud hunted them away. Meek writes that there are a good many cases of cholera and dysentery in Lemberg, but they are taking sanitary measures. There have been difficult moments there, according to the paper, but I trust there won't be anything serious. One cannot trust those Poles—after all we are their enemies and the Catholics must hate us. I shall finish in the evening, can't write much at a time. Sweet angel, soul and heart are ever with you."

"I am writing on Anastasia's paper. Baby kisses you very much—he has no pains at all, less because the knee is still swollen. Do hope he can be up by your return."

The Distressed Aviator's Prayer.
"I got a letter from old Mme. Orlova, to whom Ivan wrote that he wants to continue in the military service after the war. He told me as much, too. He is Aviator Arlov of the Twentieth army corps, he received the St. George's cross, has the right to another decoration, but perhaps he might receive the grade of junior or senior Lieutenant. He said he recognized me and was very glad to hear from me. One day he flew alone particularly high up and the cold was so intense he did not know what to do—the hands freezing, machine stopped working, he did not care what would become of him, so numb he felt—then he began praying and all of a sudden the machine went off working again all right. When it pours they cannot fly so sleep and sleep. Flucky boy to fly so often alone—what nerves one needs—indeed his father would have been proud of him."

"I write abominably today, but my brain is tired and heavy. Oh, my sweetheart, what intense joy it was when your precious letter was brought to me, and I thank you for it with all my heart. It was good of you writing. I read parts of it to the girls and Ania, who had been permitted to come to dinner and remained till 10:30. How interesting it must all have been. Ruzsky for sure was deeply moved that you made him general aid de camp. Won't ago wee one be happy you wrote! He has no more pains, thank God."

"You are probably now off in the train again. . . . What a recompense to the brave garrison of Osovetz if you go there; perhaps Grodno, if some troops are still resting here. Schulenburg says the lancers, their horses are completely done up, the backs sore to blood—hours in the saddle—and their legs quite weak. As the train stood near Vilna several of the of-

ficers came and slept change about several hours on his bed, and they enjoyed this luxury of a train bed even, and to find a real W. C. was exquisite joy to them. Kniazhevich did not want to come out any more he was so comfortable there! (This Schulenburg's wife related to Ania.)

Love Messages From "Wife."
"And beloved busy man, his little wife! And do I not you, too! But I have the nice family to cheer me up. Do you go into my compartment sometimes? Please give Fredericks my kind messages. Have you spoken to Fedorov about the military students and doctors? No telegram from you today, that means that you did nothing in particular, I suppose."

"Now my own sweetest one, my Nicky dear, I must be trying to sleep and lay this letter out to be taken at 8:30."

"I had no ink in my pen, so had to take another."

"Good-bye, my Angel. God bless and protect you and bring you safe and sound back again."

"Every possible tender kiss and caress from your fondly loving and truly devoted little WIFE."

"ALIX."

"Ania thanks for your message and sends much love."

"Mekk," who took care of the Czarina's relief work at the front, may be Valdimir V. de Meck, who previous to the war was attached

to the Grand Duchess Elizabeth, the sister of the Czarina.

"Ruzsky" is the General who led the first successful Russian campaign in Galicia early in the war. He held subsequently several important posts as commander of armies. In December, 1918, he was reported to have been executed by a local Ukrainian soviet.

"Osovetz" is the powerful fortress of Osovetz, which blocked the way of Hindenburg's armies advancing on Lithuania. It finally fell in August, 1915.

"Schulenburg" is Col. Vladimir E. von der Schulenburg of the lance of the Czarina's own guard.

"Kniazhevitch" is Col. Mozhilov A. Kniazhevitch, the commander of the regiment of the Orpans, frequently mentioned in the letters, named after the Czarina.

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Kansas City	133 1/2	133 1/2	133	134 1/2

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Chicago.	131 1/2 a	132 1/2 a	151 1/2 a	120 1/2 a
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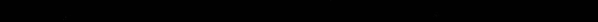
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MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY

By James J. Montague.



NOTHING NEW.

From time to time a sage appears
(As sages every now and THEN do)
And loudly promulgates his fears
That women know far more than men do.
And then he gravely bows his head
Obsessed with an uneasy notion,
That what he just has gone and said
Will raise a thundering commotion.

But no protesting voice is raised
To challenge his surprising statement.
No man is puzzled or amazed
No pleas are offered in abatement.
And though his biologic facts
Are very solemnly attested,
And proofs adduced, nobody acts
Disturbed, or even interested.

The men have not a word to say.
They cannot break a verbal deadlock.
They entered in the very day
That they embraced the state of wedlock.
They do not rage or fume or fret,
For even though disposed to doubt it,
They're too experienced to get
In any argument about it.

The women do not even heed
This stern pronouncement of the sages,
But calmly knit or talk or read
The newest author's racy pages.
For since, first pierced by Cupid's darts
The yearning breast of Adam panted,
The ladies, bless their little hearts,
Have always taken it for granted.



THEY ALWAYS ARE.
The party platforms will be plenty
dry enough without any prohibition
planks.

MANY ARE CALLED, ETC.
Mighty few of the graduates of

presidential primaries will ever get
into the electoral college.

HOOVER DOESN'T.
It's an unwise candidate who
knows his own party.
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Making the Round Trip.

In one of the leading churches of
the city the pastor took for the text
of his sermon, "Better Church At-
tendance."
The pastor held that the automo-
bile has taken more people away
from church than any other thing.
He concluded with the exclamation:
"The Ford car has taken more peo-
ple to hell than any other thing that
I can mention." Whereupon an old
lady in the congregation began to
clap her hands and moan: "Praise
the Lord. Praise the Lord!"
"What's the matter, sister?" asked
the pastor.

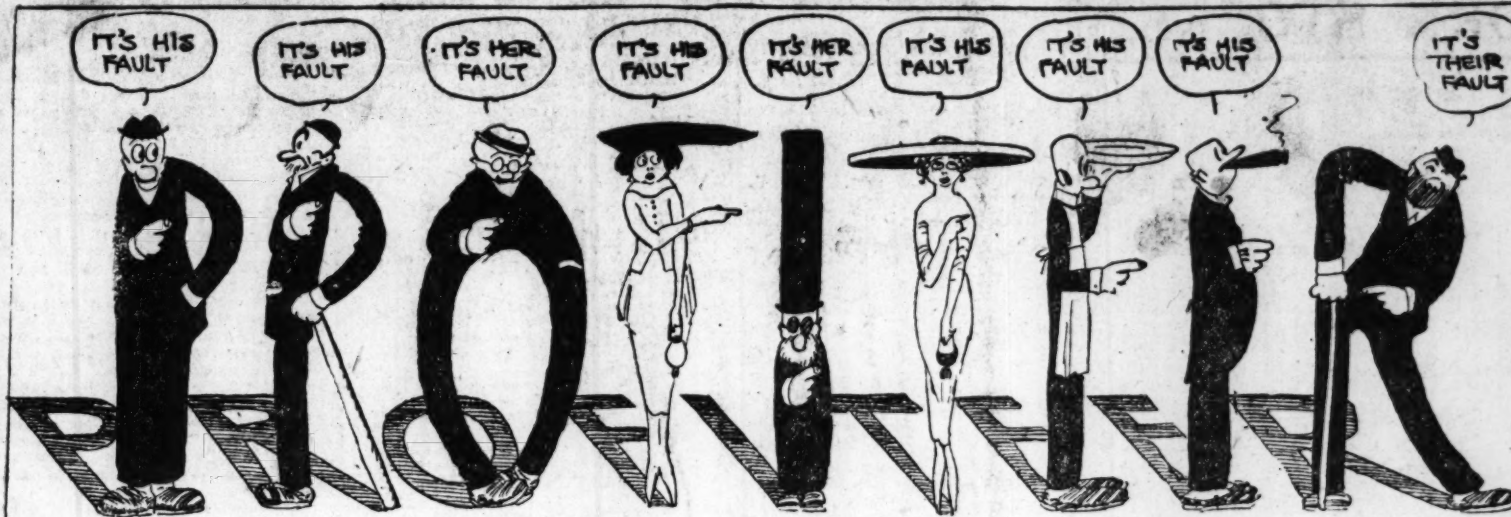
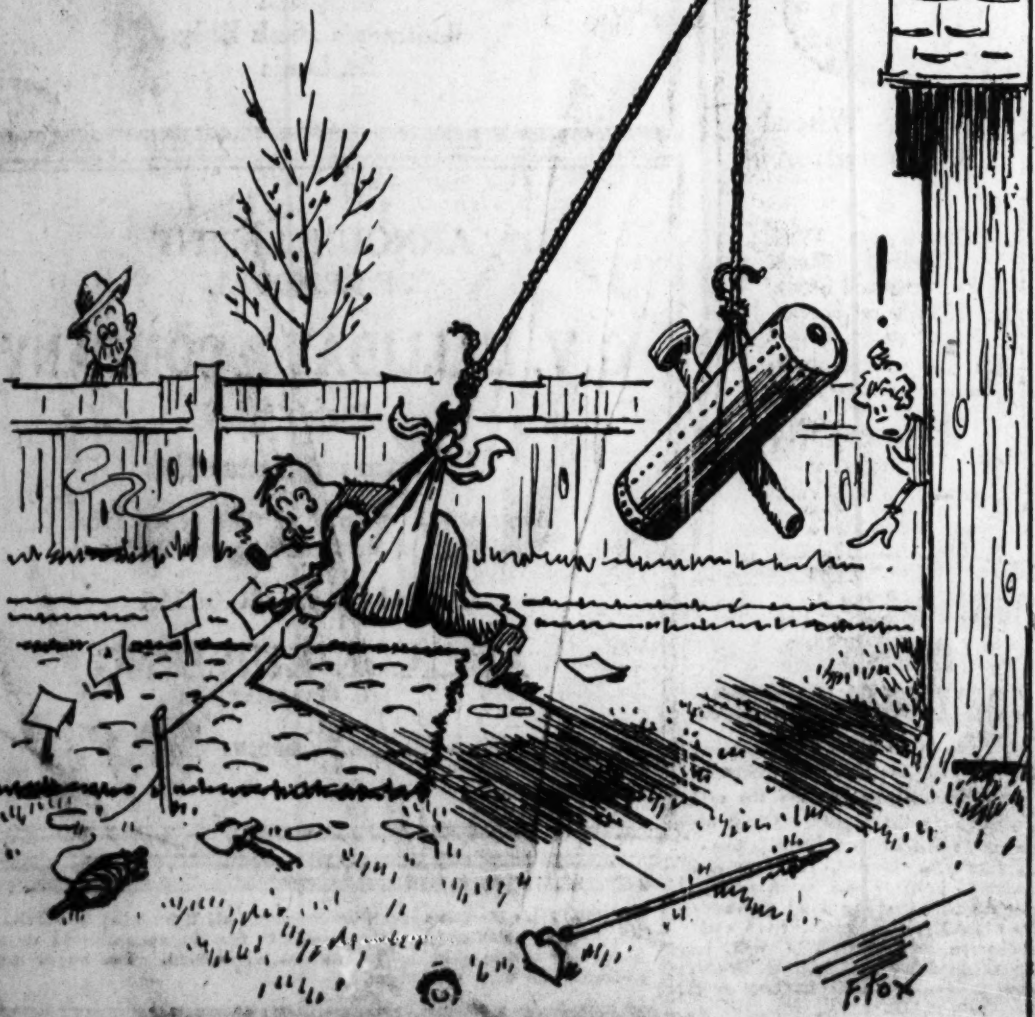
"The Ford never went any place
that it couldn't make the round trip,
and I am sure that all of those peo-
ple in hell will be back. So praise
the Lord."—Springfield (Ill.) Reg-
ister.

First and Last Straw.

Cook (coldly): I'm going to quit
Saturday night.
Employer (amazed): Why, Della!
And without the slightest reason?
Cook (serenely): Slightest reason?
Why did you insult me by giving me
an alarm clock as a birthday token?
—Buffalo Express.

Dad Has Rigged Up Quite a Contrivance This Year.—By Fox.

TO DO AWAY WITH THAT
FEARFUL BACK STRAIN
OF GARDEN PLANTING.

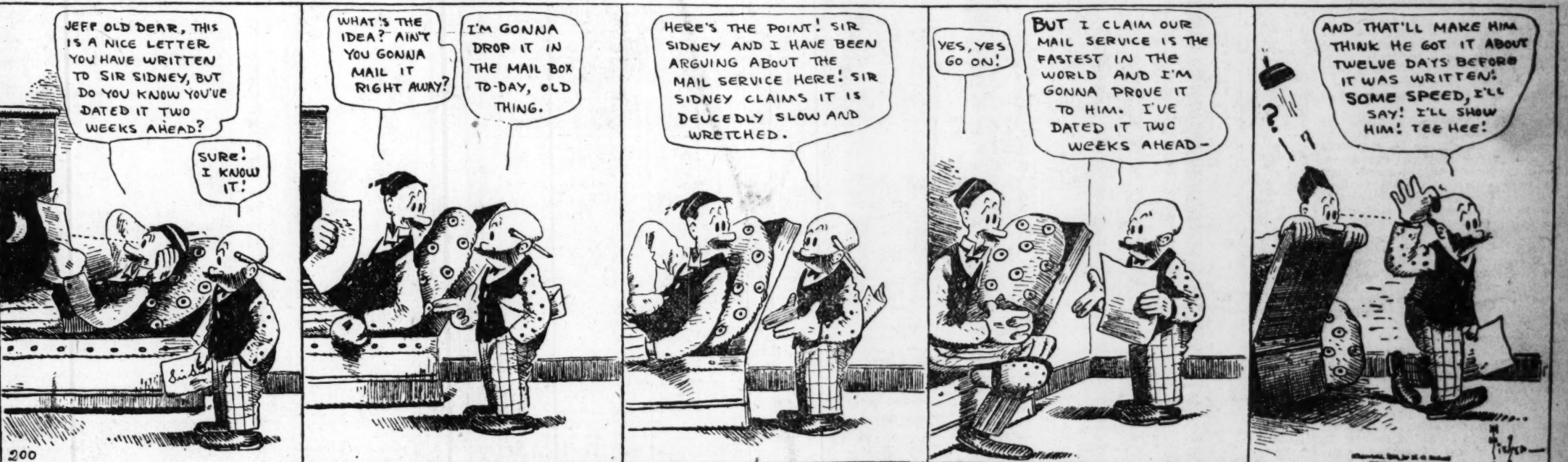


IF YOU EXAMINE THE MAKEUP OF THE
WORD "PROFITEER" YOU WILL FIND THAT IT
INCLUDES ALL OF US.

"SAY, POP!"—EVIDENTLY, THEY BOTH WISHED FOR A SCRAP.—By C. M. PAYNE.



YEA, BO! THE LITTLE FELLOW IS THE ORIGINAL "SPEED-BOY".—By BUD FISHER.

LADIES! DARKEN
YOUR GRAY HAIR

Use Grandma's Sage Tea and Sulphur
Recipe and Nobody will Know.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for re-
storing faded, gray hair to its natural
color dates back to grandmother's
time. She used it to keep her hair
beautifully dark, glossy and attrac-
tive. Whenever her hair took on that
dull, faded or streaked appearance,
this simple mixture was applied with
wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is messy and
out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at
any drug store for a bottle of "Wy-
eth's Sage and Sulphur Compound,"
you will get this famous old prepara-
tion, improved by the addition of
other ingredients, which can be de-
pendent upon to restore natural color
and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist
says it darkens the hair so naturally
and evenly that nobody can tell it has
been applied. You simply dampen a
sponge or soft brush with it and draw
this through your hair, taking one
strand at a time. By morning the
gray hair disappears, and after an-
other application or two, it becomes
beautifully dark and glossy.

FOR ITCHING TORTURE
Use Antiseptic Liquid Zemo.

There is one remedy that seldom
fails to stop itching torture and relieve
skin irritation and that makes the skin
soft, clear and healthy.
Any druggist can supply you with
Zemo, which generally overcomes skin
diseases. Eczema, itch, pimples, rashes,
blackheads, in most cases give way
to Zemo. Frequently, minor blemishes
disappear overnight. Itching usually
stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, anti-
septic liquid, clean, easy to use and
dependable. It costs only 35c; an extra
large bottle, \$1.00. It will not stain, is
not greasy or sticky and is positively
safe for tender, sensitive skins.
The F. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

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Lift Off Corns!

Doesn't hurt! Lift touchy corns and
calluses right off with fingers

Apply a few drops of "Freezone" upon that old,
bothersome corn. Instantly that corn stops
hurting. Then shortly you lift it right off,
root and all, without pain or soreness.

Hard corns, soft corns, corns
between the toes, and the
hard skin calluses on
bottom of feet lift
right off—no
humbug!

Tiny bottles of "Freezone" cost
but a few cents at drug stores

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The DAYS
of the
THRIFTER.

ARE you making the most of YOUR thrift
days?

Do you "earn a little and spend a little
less?"

Money in a savings account will do much
to brighten the shadows of life's evening.

Your future is squarely up to you.

Accounts opened and deposits made on or
before APRIL FIFTH draw interest from
APRIL FIRST.

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